WILSON KILLS MOVE FOR BREAK WITH MEXICO

THE WEATHER

Boston and vicinity—Unsettled, snow or rain probably tonight or Tuesday; colder, fresh shifting winds, becoming northeast.
Sun rises 6:39; sets 4:17.
Moon rises 5:56 p. m.
High tide 12:06 p. m.
Temperatures till noon—Maximum, 44 at noon; minimum, 37 at 7 a. m.; average, 39.2.
Temperature at noon 44.
Light all vehicles at 4.45 p. m.

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ROLLINS SENTENCED TO LIFE TERM

COURT HOLDS UP LIQUOR RULING

BEAUTIES TO SELL TAGS

Members of Chatterbox Club to Lend Aid to Christmas Basket Fund

Twenty-four of the prettiest girls this city boasts—members of

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Hands Off, President Writes Senator Fall

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee will do nothing further regarding the Mexican situation, Senator Lodge, its chairman, announced, after the receipt by Senator Fall of the President's letter disapproving of the breaking off of diplomatic relations.

Washington, Dec. 8.—President Wilson does not approve of the Fall resolution providing for breaking off diplomatic relations with Mexico.

In a letter to Senator Fall, the President declared that the Fall resolution would be "a reversal of our constitutional practice," and might lead to a "very grave confusion in regard to the guidance of our foreign affairs."

President Wilson's letter to Senator Fall follows:

"Thank you very much for

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THE PUBLIC
WELCOME
WE SHALL CONTINUE TO PAY INTEREST MONTHLY AND PERMIT WITHDRAWALS AT ANY TIME PRACTICALLY WITHOUT LOSS OF INTEREST!
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I HATE TO PAY 4½ PER CENT AND WONT DO IT ANY OFTENER THAN ONCE IN SIX MONTHS!
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COOLIDGE ACTS FOR TEACHERS

Names Commission of Six to Study Problem of Wage Standardization

A special commission, to learn if standardization of teachers' salaries is necessary, was appointed by Governor Coolidge today.

Payson Smith, State Commissioner of Education, was made chairman of the commission, which was ordered to report to the incoming Legislature in 1920.

The other members were Albert H. Inman of Worcester; James E. McConnell, Boston attorney; Professor Arthur N. Holcombe, Harvard economist and former chairman of the Minimum Wage Committee; James H. Van Sickle, superintendent of Springfield schools, and Miss Mary MacSkimmon, principal of the Pierce grammar school of Brookline.

In announcing the appointment the Governor said:

"I have appointed this commission in order that they may make a State-wide survey of teachers' salaries and learn whether any standardization is necessary to prevent communities bidding against each other for teachers.

"School committeemen say that this has become a real evil. Personally, however, I regard it as a compliment to the teachers and to the communities served, because unless you have teachers who will grow in ability and who are ambitious to go ahead in their professions conditions would be stagnant."

WILLIAMS AND WHITE FOR G. O. P. CONVENTIN

Harry Williams of Brockton, A member of the Governor's Council, today announced his candidacy for delegate to the Republican National Convention from the Fourteenth Congressional District. He wants to go unpledged. Thomas W. White, State Supervisor of Administration, also declared his candidacy for delegate from the Thirteenth Congressional District on a program including "Law, 100 Per Cent. Americanism and Coolidge."

POLICE MAKE THREE RED RAIDS IN ROXBURY

Officers swooped down on three places in Roxbury today in an effort to check the activities of "Reds" in that section. Considerable inflammatory literature was unearthed. Sergeant Horton and Officer Gillis with four Department of Justice agents raided rooms in Dudley Street Opera House, a place in International Hall on Wenonah street and a barber shop on Blue Hill avenue.

NEW HAVEN REFUSED MORE PAY FOR MAILS

Washington, Dec. 8. — The New Haven railroad lost its appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States from the court of claims decision refusing increased pay for carrying mails.

Every Cigar Banded

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CIGARS

AS FINE AS TOBACCO GROWS

Ask your dealer. He can get them.

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PRINCESS NICHOLAS ENGALITCHEFF, pretty Russian who is now in this country on a short visit. She has many friends in America.

COVINGTON, KY., TAX ON SOFT DRINKS SUSTAINED

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Supreme Court of the United States today sustained the Covington, Ky., local tax on manufacturers of soft drinks. The test case was brought by Wagner Sons, an appeal from the adverse decision of a lower court. Justices McKenna and Holmes dissent.

GROCERS FINED FOR SALES ON LORD'S DAY

Three Dorchester grocers were each fined $10 in the Dorchester Court today for selling groceries on the Lord's Day. They were Andrew J. Borzakis, Charles M. Samuelian and Silvio Repetto, all of Dorchester avenue. The latter appealed and was held in $200.

STATE HAS RIGHT TO FIX RATE OF INTEREST

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Supreme Court today held valid the Georgia State law fixing maximum interest charge on loans at 8 per cent. The Federal banking law does not nullify the State law. Justices Pitney, Clarke and Brandeis dissented.

PUREOXIA
"Good All Ways"
GINGER ALE

Coal Strike Near End

MINERS WILL GO BACK

President Believes Unions Will Accept Plan to Put End to Strife

Essential industries which are to be supplied with bituminous coal, under the restrictions imposed on account of the coal shortage, will not be furnished any coal until their supply is reduced to ten days' consumption. This order was issued today by W. T. Lamoure, chairman of the New England sub-committee, acting for the Regional Coal Committee. Such industries, when their supply is thus reduced, may make application to the terminal railroad which serves them. Public utilities which generate power by hydraulic plant will not be supplied with coal if the water power is sufficient to supply the essentials in question.

Washington, Dec. 8.—President Wilson hopes for settlement of the coal strike tomorrow.

The following formal statement was issued at the White House today:

"It is hoped that on Tuesday afternoon there will be a settlement of the controversy between the miners, the operators and the government through acceptance by the miners of a definite proposition by President Wilson. The proposition was submitted to Acting President Lewis by Attorney General Palmer, on Saturday."

The White House refused to divulge any intimation of the proposition on grounds that it must first be submitted to the executive committee of the miners.

The basis of the proposed settlement of the strike, according to reliable statements to the International News Service today, is that the miners' union will accept the 14 per cent. wage increase suggested by Dr.

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SMALLPOX IN STEERAGE OF LINER BRITANNIA

The French passenger liner Britannia, which arrived at providence today from Marseilles and Boston with 800 passengers, may be ordered to the Boston quarantine station on account of the discovery of smallpox among steerage passengers. The Providence quarantine station is not equipped to take care of the number of people on board and the Public Health Service authorities at Washington have been asked to decide whether the liner should proceed to Boston or New York.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.

Boston bank clearings, $50,850,-831.

Boston sub-treasury credit, $1,-908,685.

New York bank clearings, $588,-580,825.

New York sub-treasury credit, $878,497.

GLOBE TODAY Norma Talmadge in "Ashes of Gen-tleness" at the New Modern Concert Comedy & others.

$45,789,000 Saved By U. S. Through Fuel Ban

By Universal Service.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The railroad administration has saved more than $45,789,000 in its coal bill in nine months as the result of the fuel conservation campaign inaugurated in Chicago in May, 1918.

A study of the fuel situation, begun at that time, showed a marked tendency toward increased consumption, according to a report made public by Eugene McAuliffe, manager of the fuel conservation section of the railroad administration.

It was discovered that poorer coal, in some instances, was being furnished railroads, and that great quantities of coal were lost through faulty management. Inadequate brake maintenance for one thing, developed an annual loss of over 8,000,000 tons of coal.

ROLLINS MUST END HIS DAYS IN PRISON

Charles Rollins today was sentenced to life in State's Prison for the murder of Edward F. Foley, Judge John F. Brown of the Superior Court passed sentence.

None of Rollins' family was present when the prisoner was sentenced for murder in the second degree. He was found guilty Saturday. Rollins showed no emotion, taking the sentence calmly when pronounced.

Major Thomas L. Walsh, counsel for Rollins, added an unusual aspect to the case when, addressing the court and jury, he said that he had an agreement with the district attorney that if in the future anything were found tending to show that the jury was in error the district attorney's office would co-operate with him to prove Rollins' innocence.

In reply Judge Brown said, "If any error was made at all by the jury, it was in favor of the defendant. I have no doubt that on the evidence presented the jury was justified in returning a verdict of murder in the second degree."

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THIRSTY DOOMED TO WAIT

Expected Decision on Wartime Prohibition Act Is Not Forthcoming

Eager hopes on the part of friends of John Barleycorn that war-time prohibition would be lifted by the Supreme Court, were dashed today by announcement at Washington that no decision would be handed down.

This means that there probably will be no ruling for another week, as decisions usually are handed down by the court on Mondays.

Failure to decide on the constitutionality of the war time act disappointed not only the thousands of thirsty souls throughout the country, but also a large number who had gathered at the capital.

READY TO FLASH WORD.

Among those were representatives of the big liquor interests, who were ready to flash the word throughout the country if the decision were favorable to the wets.

Adherents of both sides were on hand, each confident that the decision would be rendered in their favor. No one seemed to have foreseen the possibility of no decision being rendered.

In the meantime, local liquor dealers had completed extensive plans for the immediate reopening of their saloons in the event that the ban was lifted.

With about two weeks' supply of liquors on hand, and a big reserve in the bonded warehouses, the dealers were fully prepared to meet the expected rush. Everything was in readiness to throw open the doors of bars

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VOTE AGAINST PUBLIC OWNERSHIP OF "L"

The legislative Committee on Street Railways today reported against the bill for public ownership of the Boston Elevated Railway. Representative McDonald of Brockton who presented the bill, and Representatives Cronin of Boston and Baldwin of Brookline dissent from the report. The committee action was taken following a hearing. After an executive session of short duration the report was announced.

PADEREWSKI RESIGNS, BUT IS MADE TO STAY

London, Dec. 8.—Ignace Jan Paderewski has resigned as Premier of Poland, but the resignation was refused, said an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Warsaw today. Paderewski was asked to attempt to form a new Polish Cabinet.

MUCH SUFFERING

From colds can be avoided by taking Father John's Medicine promptly.—Advt.

CREW OF STEAMSHIP LIBERTY ALL SAVED

Washington, Dec. 8.—The crew of the United States Shipping Board steamship Liberty, which was sunk by a mine in the North Sea, off the Dutch coast, has been landed at Aberdeen without loss of life, said a dispatch to the State Department from The Hague today.

TAKE BELL-ANS BEFORE MEALS and see how you feel. Sour stomach makes you feel—Adv.

WILSON BELIEVES COAL MINERS WILL END STRIKE TOMORROW

PLAN PROPOSED TO BRING PERMANENT PEACE

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Garfield, and that a permanent conciliatory board will be established to settle differences in the future, provided Congress enact the necessary legislation.

On the other hand, the government will quash the contempt proceedings at Indianapolis and the proposed grand jury probe into the soft coal industry.

The operators' committee this afternoon issued a formal statement declaring that their case was in the hands of the government and insinuating that they would accept any proposition put forward by the administration.

DRAWN UP BY WILSON.

The proposition which will be submitted to the Miners' Executive Committee tomorrow is one drawn by President Wilson, it was learned, and the administration has pledged itself not to divulge the proposition until the leaders of the miners have had an opportunity to consider the direct action proposed by the President.

It was generally agreed here that the action of the President is the last word of the administration, and that if it should fail there would be a long-drawn coal fight. There is every reason to believe, however, that the miners will accept the proposition. Officials today said they did not like to shroud the proceedings with secrecy, but that they felt they owed it to the miners to give them an opportunity to have final consideration of the President's action.

Convening of Federal Grand Jury for Coal Probe Is Postponed

Indianapolis, Dec. 8.—The Federal Grand Jury, subpoenaed to investigate activities of coal operators and miners, will not meet until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Announcement of postponement of the convening of the Federal jurors was made at 10 o'clock today, the hour at which the jury was to have been empaneled by District Attorney L. E. Slack.

It will be determined tomorrow whether the jury will be empaneled to proceed with the investigation, Mr. Slack announced.

250 WORCESTER COAL HANDLERS ON STRIKE

Worcester, Dec. 8.—About two hundred and fifty coal handlers went on strike today for higher wages and fewer working hours. Their action followed refusal of employers to grant the workers' demands. According to the dealers whose men walked out, they have secured other help and coal is being delivered. The men want about 25 per cent increase and Saturday afternoons off.

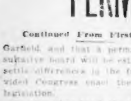
RECLAIMED LANDS YIELD $100,000,000 IN A YEAR

Washington, Dec. 8. — An annual crop production of $100,000,000 or over from lands which a short time ago returned nothing has resulted from the national reclamation policy, according to the annual report of Arthur P. Davis, director of the United States reclamation service, Department of the Interior, made public today.

$2,955,696 COMPENSATION FOR MAINE CENTRAL

Washington, Dec. 8.—Compensation contracts with the Maine Central and the Hocking Valley railroads were signed today by Director-General Hines. The annual compensation granted to the Maine Central is $2,[illegible] and the Hocking Valley, $[illegible].

Sure Relief



6 BELL-ANS Hot Water Sure Relief

BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION

"SALADA"

ORANGE PEKOE | All Pure Tea—Free from Dust

Beware of Substitutes.
Buy Only by the Name "Salada"
Sealed Airtight Packets Only

THIRSTY SOULS MUST WAIT AT LEAST A WEEK

Supreme Court Fails to Hand Down Decision on War-time Prohibition

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as soon as definite information was received that the sale of intoxicants was once again permitted.

PRICES MAY SOAR.

While no definite statement could be obtained regarding prices, it was understood that the highest figures on record would be reached. The government tax of $6.40 a gallon meant a added increase in the retail price, while the desire of dealers to clean up before the end of the year meant further increases.

According to John E. Doherty, Atlantic avenue dealer and prominent member of the Boston Liquor Dealers' Association, Boston saloon keepers were content to sell what stock they had on hand.

He said there was about two weeks' supply in the hands of the dealers, with about 1,000 barrels in possession of the distillers for distribution. The remainder of the liquor, he stated, was held by dealers who are awaiting an opportunity to sell it.

At the same time it is known that there are thousands of gallons of whiskey in two bonded warehouses in Greater Boston, together with a tremendous supply in Kentucky and elsewhere. There are 38,500,000 gallons at Louisville, which will be shipped out of the State.

MAY VOTE LICENSE.

There was some question as to whether the sale of liquor would be permitted in the twenty cities and towns of Massachusetts which went out in last Tuesday's election. In addition to these, fifteen municipalities which vote tomorrow are also likely to declare for license.

Wet adherents are confident that if the ban is lifted it will be speedily to sell intoxicants in these places, some of which have been dry for more than thirty years. On the other hand, prohibitionists declare that the granting of licenses is optional with the local authorities.

UNITED TYPOTHETAE DENY UNFAIR COMPETITION

Washington, Dec. 8.—The United Typothetae of America, an association of about 4,000 master printers of the United States, Canada and Mexico, today denied charges of unfair competition in commerce in their reply to the complaint of the Federal Trade Commission alleging such methods.

ASK FOR and GET
Horlick's
The Original
Malted Milk
For Infants and Invalids
Avoid Imitations and Substitutes

WILSON REJECTS FALL PLAN ON MEXICO

Strongly Disapproves Effort to Break Off Diplomatic Relations

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your kind promptness in complying with my request that you send me a copy of the memorandum report of the sub-committee on Mexican affairs of the Committee on Foreign Affairs. I shall examine it with the greatest interest and care. What you told me of the investigation on Friday last, prepares me to find in it matter of the greatest importance.

"You asked an indication of my desire with regard to the pending resolution to which you and Senator Hitchcock called my attention on Friday, and I am glad to reply with the utmost frankness that I should be gravely concerned to see any such resolution pass the Congress. **It would constitute a reversal of our constitutional practice which might lead to very grave confusion in regard to the guidance of our foreign affairs.**

"I am confident that I am supported by every competent constitutional authority in the statement that the initiative in directing the relations of our government with foreign governments is assigned by the constitution to the executive and to the executive only.

"ADHERE TO CONSTITUTION."

"Only one of the two houses of Congress is associated with the President by the constitution in an advisory capacity, and the advice of the Senate is provided for only when sought by the executive in regard to explicit agreements with foreign government and the appointment of the diplomatic representatives who are to speak for this government at foreign capitals.

"The only safe course, I am confident, is to adhere to the prescribed methods of the constitution. We might go very far afield if we departed from it.

"I am very much obliged to you for having given me the opportunity to express this opinion.

"Very truly yours,

"WOODROW WILSON."

"The President has assumed full responsibility for the Mexican situation, Senator Lodge said. "The responsibility is no longer on our shoulders. There is therefore nothing we can do."

Lodge admitted the President's letter had "chilled" the Fall resolution, or at least that no action would be taken on it unless the President so recommended. Senators Fall, Lodge, Brandegee and Knox were in conference for some time after the President's letter arrived. It was subsequent to the conference that Lodge made his statement.

Report Capture by Mexicans of Two in Raid on Texan Store

By International News Service.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 8.—Two of the gang which raided the store on the Clarene ranch and left Humberto Vela, the storekeeper, bounded and gagged after rubbing the place, have been captured by Mexican soldiers, according to the Mexican consul at Zapata. Vela has been asked to go to Mier, across the border, to identify the men, one of whom is believed to be Santos Rendon, who formerly worked for Vela in the store. The force of Texas rangers sent to Zapata to investigate the raid has returned to Laredo.

PACKING HOUSE STRIKER IS SHOT IN RIOT

A striking employe of the North Packing and Provision Company at East Cambridge was shot in the leg, and two arrests were made, as a result of strike disturbances early today.

Stephen Gdeiska, the victim of the shooting, was arrested on a charge of disturbing the peace. His assailant, Hosea Smith, colored, was locked up, charged with assault with intent to kill.

Smith told the police that he was on his way to work at the packing house with Alan Terry, a former colored pugilist, when they were set upon by about twenty strikers.

The two men were being badly beaten up, Smith said, when he drew a revolver and fired several times into the crowd. The assailants were frightened by the shooting and scattered, leaving Gdeiska lying on the ground.

U. S. BOATS ARE MADE PRISONERS IN ICE

Portsmouth, N. H., Dec. 8.—Word was received here today that six of the thirty-four Eagle boats consigned to the local Navy Yard from the Great Lakes were frozen in the St. Lawrence at Quebec.

Fearing that this would happen, the Navy Department made strenuous efforts to get the boats down to the Atlantic before the setting in of cold weather.

In the case of twenty-eight they were successful, but numbers 5, 6, 7, 8, 48 and 56 were caught. Of these that came through, numbers 1, 53 and 60 will be retained in commission and will leave for Hampton Roads shortly.

Number 60 will be used for the instruction of midshipmen at Annapolis, 53 for duty at the aviation station at Pensacola, Fla., and 4 will be sent through the Canal to Honolulu.

TWO MEN HELD AS WINE THIEVES IN EAST BOSTON

Charged with larceny of forty gallons of wine, valued at $220, John P. Vallen, twenty-seven, and Joseph A. Moynihan, twenty-nine, were held for the Superior Court in $2,500 each when arraigned in East Boston court today. The wine was the property of James J. Agnew of No. 44 Lamson street, East Boston. Agnew had the wine stored in a shed. Vallen and Moynihan were take in custody while in the shed by Patrolman O'Brien and three State Guardsmen.

SAYS GERMANY WILL SIGN SOON

A. Bonar Law Sees Speedy Ratification of the Peace Treaty

London, Dec. 8.—A. Bonar Law, speaking for the government in the House of Commons this afternoon, said there was no reason to doubt that there would be a satisfactory issue to the negotiations now in progress with Germany for immediate ratification of the peace treaty.

By International News Service.

Paris, Dec. 8.—Pressure from the United States and France caused England to yield to modification of reparation terms in the peace treaty protocol, it was learned from an authoritative source today.

After England consented to less drastic measures for the sinking of the interned German war fleet at Scapa Flow, France and the United States agreed to eliminate the military coercive clause, it was said.

The American delegates now believe that Germany will sign the protocol, the cause of their chief objections having been greatly modified.

Furthermore, the reparations demanded for the sinking of the interned German fleet at Scapa Flow have been modified.

This news came as a complete surprise, in view of the tension on Saturday when the allies were reported in press dispatches to be taking military steps to compel Germany to accept the protocol terms. It was reported then that the allied note to Germany was couched in terms of such sternness that it almost might be called an ultimatum.

The allied note will go forward this evening, according to the Foreign Office.

French newspapers took the view today that the modifications probably will not attain the object of making it more easy to sign the protocol. On the other hand, a large section of the press expressed belief that it might increase German resistance.

Berlin, Dec. 8.—"The organ of the Independent Socialists is the only newspaper that advocates immediate yielding to the entente," said the semi-official Allgemeine Gazette, against yielding."

URGE STATE TO BUY R. R. TRACKAGE RIGHTS

The purchase by the State of the trackage rights and locations of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn railroad, for the development of property of great industrial possibilities in East Boston and Lynn, was recommended to the 1920 Legislature in the annual report of the waterways commission today.

The commission also recommended the purchase of the Union Freight railroad in the plan for a great loop line connecting all the railroads and urged an appropriation of $4,515,000 for harbor development.

Y. D. TO PROTEST SLIGHTING OF EDWARDS

General "Jumped" in Promotions, Men Call Mass Meeting for Wednesday Night

Officers and men of the Yankee Division will hold a mass meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in Faneuil Hall to protest against the recent jumping of the name of Major-General Edwards for the permanent major-generalship.

The movement is headed by Brigadier-General John H. Sherburne and Colonel Robert E. Lindsay.

This is the tenth time that General Edwards has been jumped. He has been permanent brigadier-general since May 12, 1912, and heads the list for promotion.

He was recently jumped by the nominations of Brigadier-Generals Francis J. Kennan, Joseph T. Dickman and James G. Harbord to permanent major-generalship.

This action has stirred no end of feeling among the Y. D. boys, who are determined that it shall not be passed over. Letters have come from Y. D. boys all over the country calling upon local residents in New England of the Y. D. division to use every means to protest against such action on the part of the War Department.

PROCTER TO DIRECT GEN. WOOD'S CAMPAIGN

Cincinnati, Dec. 8.—Colonel William Cooper Procter, millionaire Cincinnati manufacturer, announced he had accepted the chairmanship of General Leonard Wood's presidential campaign committee.

He declined to outline his plans further than to say headquarters would be established in New York.

Ma doesn't have to ask me what corn flakes I like —says Bobby

She knows I'd answer

POST TOASTIES

Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

the same bargains in toys, books, dolls, handkerchiefs, gloves, neckwear, silverware, jewelry, leather goods, as in good clothes

"seconds" men's fibre silk sox, 42c

just 107 girls' coats $5.90

dyed opossum trimmed coat $5.90

ready tomorrow at 9

Here's worth-while Christmas saving to get girls' coats in sizes 8 to 14 for $5.90—many fur trimmed! Velours, plush, kersey or chinchilla—all fully lined.

MEN'S good sample sweaters $3.95 and $4.85

Isn't there a man in your family who wants a sweater? Come early and get one of these samples—coat style—shawl collars—four colors.

men's fibre silk mufflers $1.95

Like the sweaters, these mufflers are samples—a worth-while gift for any man. Assortment of colors and patterns—silk fringed.

"seconds" of Ideal corsets and corset waists 89c

Would you pass up this saving, because of a slight second that will not hurt wear? Styles include maternity, strap-over shoulder, corset waists and others. Sizes broken—plenty 32 and 23.

men's heavy wool mixed union suits $2.29

Unusually well tailored—ecru or cocoa mixed—silver gray—warm and comfortable suiting. All sizes 34 to 42.

women's good bath robes $6.45

Make a gift that never fails to please—warm blankets—soft colorings—satin trimmings—typical savings! Come early!

AUTOMATIC PLAN:

Goods must sell quickly or price drops DOWN ¼ after 12 selling days, ⅓ after 18 selling days, ¾ after 24 selling days. Goods given away after 30 selling days.

Also women's silk underwear, stockings, waists and dresses at famous automatic plan savings

NO MAIL ORDERS—HUNDREDS OF OTHER LOTS

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Ordinary Underwear

WM. FILENE'S SONS CO., BOSTON

DE VALERA DEFIES LEADER OF ULSTERITE ENVOYS TO DEBATE

CHALLENGE GOES TO COOTE

Invited to Discuss Irish Problem on Any Platform at Any Time

New York, Dec. 8.—Had William Coote, M. P., head of the Protestant Ulsterites, who have come here to repudiate De Valera and the Irish republic, been at the Commodore Hotel he would have received a personal challenge from De Valera to a public debate.

President De Valera issued a challenge to Coote to meet him and debate the Irish question at any time and place set by Coote. The challenge was issued through the newspapers and Coote declared he would pay no attention to it unless he received it personally from De Valera.

"If that's what Mr. Coote wants he shall have it," declared De Valera today, and forthwith he penned a personal challenge, offering to meet the Ulsterman on any public platform at any time and debate the Irish question.

COOTE DIDN'T GET IT.

But when the challenge was delivered at the Hotel Commodore, Coote and his ten companions were absent, and so for the present his answer to the challenge remains a mystery.

At the time the challenge was being delivered Coote and his party were in executive conference with the heads of the Presbyterian Church, before going to this conference, Coote said he would not be able to discuss his party's plans or itinerary until the Presbyterians had been consulted. He had previously stated that his party was non-sectarian. Hugh Boland, secretary for President DeValera, today charged that the purpose of the Ulstermen's visit is to stir up religious rancor.

"In addition to President De Valera's challenge, as yet unanswered, there is an unanswered challenge sent Mr. Coote by the Protestant Friends of Ireland, in which Dr. Mythen challenged him to debate," said Secretary Boland.

"We call upon Mr. Coote to answer these two challenges. He and members of his party have claimed they have no public press to be a non-sectarian body. Why, then, do they have to confer with the Presbyterian church before making their plans?"

DE VALERA PLANS BE REVEALED.

"The plans of the Irish republic are public property. We call upon Mr. Coote and his fellows to make their plans public."

Mr. Coote on departure for the Presbyterian conference explained that lack of time was to blame for the seeming secrecy of the Ulsterite party.

"We are so busy I cannot spare five minutes to collect my ideas and give them to the press," he said.

He added, however, that he and his companions plan national propaganda against De Valera and the Irish republic.

"My colleagues and myself have just finished a conference. We are on our way to discuss our proposals with the Presbyterians. After that we will be ready for action."

It was called to his attention that he had promised to begin action this morning, and that adherents of the Irish Republic charged that he and his companions were Joy Riding instead of propagandizing.

"Great bodies move slowly, but surely," he replied. "Besides, I had time the first cannot will be fired."

"If he's afraid we are not prepared and the rebels, he can stay away and see—the earlier the better," was the De Valera comment on this.

PAPER MILL HANDS IN FITCHBURG STRIKE

Fitchburg, Dec. 8.—Three hundred employes at the DeJonge paper mill here struck today for a wage increase and extra pay for overtime. About 100 of the strikers are women and girls, not union members.

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"I AM IN WONDERFUL HEALTH," SAYS CARDINAL O'CONNELL, ON HIS 60TH BIRTHDAY

Cardinal O'Connell pontificating at the mass in celebration of his 60th birthday today. In the picture, taken from the reading desk in the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, the Cardinal is pronouncing the benediction. Near him are Fathers Finigan, Scanlon and McDonough, who assist ed.

ELEONORA SEARS IN COURT IN DAMAGE CASE

Miss Mary Walsh, Claiming She Was Run Over, Seeks $5,000 of Horsewoman

Miss Eleonora Sears and Miss Mary Walsh of Beverly faced each other today in the Essex County Superior Court at Salem as the principals in the suit for $5,000 brought against the Boston heiress and noted horsewoman for alleged injuries received in an accident more than a year ago.

According to the charge, Miss Walsh was knocked down and run over by a horse and carriage driven by Miss Sears on September 22, 1918. Miss Walsh, the first witness, described the accident. She said that she was walking on the public highway from Beverly Farms toward Manchester when she was struck by Miss Sears' turnout and knocked down by a wheel of the carriage passing over her.

Miss Walsh is represented by Solomon Lewenberg and H. Harding Hale. Miss Sears' counsel is Attorney Michael L. Sullivan.

Both women presented a modish appearance in the courtroom. Miss Sears was dressed in her characteristic tailored style, wearing a plain black suit and white shirtwaist, with white collar, a trim black hat and gray coat. Miss Walsh wore a black hat and gray suit.

Gets Ratification Notice

Washington, Dec. 8.—Notice of ratification of the woman suffrage constitutional amendment by South Dakota was received today by the Vice-President.

Chaplain Offers to Box Any Officer Five Rounds

New York, Dec. 8.—Rev. Father James J. Halligan, regimental chaplain, has offered to box five rounds with any former officer of the 308th Infantry who will accept his challenge at the get-together smoker of the 308th Infantry Post of the American Legion in Terrace Garden tomorrow night.

It is said that on the trip overseas with the Seventy-seventh Division, Father Halligan had to put on the gloves to settle on the after deck in the moonlight a pinochle controversy which started in the first cabin smoking room. Details of this match have been denied even the regimental historian.

CHILD RESCUED FROM FLAMES BY WOMAN

Dorchester Boy, Left Alone in Home by Parents, Has Close Call

When she saw smoke issuing from the first floor of the house at No. 838 Dorchester avenue, Mrs. Lillian Harland of No. 9 Belleflower street wasted no time in screaming for help. She dashed into the house herself, and as a consequence of her brave act a little boy's life is saved.

The house is a three-story wooden one and from the amount of smoke that poured through the window Mrs. Harland realized that the fire was a serious one. She pushed open the door and found the child terror-stricken in a smoke-filled room. The flames had consumed the curtains and a mattress in the room and but for Mrs. Harland's prompt action the youngster must have been burned to death. He had been left alone in the house by his father and mother who had gone to work.

BARTENDER IS HELD FOR HAVING STILL IN HOME

Jeremiah Driscoll of Emerald street, Medford, a Charlestown bartender, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Hayes today, charged with having a still in his home. He pleaded not guilty and was held in $500 until December 18. Driscoll, who was charged with maintaining a still of between five and seven gallons capacity, was the first bartender to come before the Federal Court on such a complaint.

Prices realized on Swift & Company sales of carcass beef in Boston for week ending Saturday, Dec. 5th, on shipments sold out averaged as follows: Domestic beef, 16.91 cents per pound.—Adv.

WILL LET WIFE GO TO MAN SHE LOVES

But He Must Provide for Her, Says Chicago Physician, in Amazing Love Tangle

By International News Service.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Dr. F. R. Braune is preparing today to file suit for divorce from his wife so that she "may live happily ever after," with the other man"—Edwin J. Parr, superintendent of construction of the Chicago & Northwestern railroad.

The only thing Dr. Braune will insist upon during the proceedings is that Parr "provide for her as well as I did."

In this way Chicago's latest amazing love triangle will be started towards solution. The Braunes have one child, a girl ten years old. Parr also is married and the father of one child.

Parr and Mrs. Braune were trapped in Dr. Braune's apartment by Dr. Braune, two attorneys, an investigator and a newspaperman.

Dr. Braune is thirty-eight. His wife is twenty-eight. Parr is fifty-four and his hair is fast turning gray.

On entering his apartment Saturday night Dr. Braune confronted his wife and Parr.

"As I thought," he remarked coolly. "It's Parr."

Parr assumed a dramatic attitude. Standing with his back to the wall, his arms outstretched, he said:

"Fill me with bullets. I will offer no resistance. You have the right to do it. I exonerate you from all this blame and penalty."

Instead of shooting Dr. Braune turned to his attorney and instructed him to draw up papers outlining the relations between Parr and Mrs. Braune and containing a release upon Dr. Braune by Mrs. Braune of all rights as his wife.

Both Parr and Mrs. Braune signed the papers. Then turning to Parr, Mrs. Braune said: "Come on, Jim, let's go."

They left. And so far they have been able to dodge reporters and detectives, who at the request of Mrs. Parr are looking for the "perfectly mated couple."

FOUR CITIES SEEKING CONVENTION OF G. O. P.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The quadrennial meeting of the Republican National Committee Wednesday will be an open session, Chairman Will H. Hays announced today. Four or five hundred people, including prospective of the cities in the fight for the convention, a number of potential candidates for President, supporters of candidates and others, will attend the session.

Supporters of the various cities seeking the convention include boosters from Chicago, St. Louis, Cleveland, Asbury Park and San Francisco. The indications are that the convention will be held early in June.

The Cathedral of the Holy Cross was crowded today when Cardinal O'Connell followed the long procession of priests and acolytes to the altar to pontificate at the mass in celebration of his sixtieth birthday.

Before and after the ceremony the Cardinal received congratulations from hundreds of prominent people. The ante-room in the rear of the Cathedral was crowded, and the men, women and children waited outside to kneel on the flagstones to receive the blessing, and to kiss the ring.

"I am in wonderful health," said Cardinal O'Connell. "It would be impossible for me to feel better. I awoke this morning in the best of health and spirits and no birthday ever found me feeling more capable for work."

The long procession filed into the cathedral shortly after nine o'clock, the Cardinal following the acolytes and priests, wearing the mitre of his office and bearing the golden crozier that symbolizes his shepherdship.

Father William B. Finigan assisted the Cardinal in the mass, while Father McDonough carried the arch-episcopal cross, and the Rev. M. J. Scanlan acted as master of ceremonies. Throughout the mass a quartet, composed of Miss Ellen Monaghlin, Mrs. Christine Galbraith, Thomas J. Murphy and Pio De Lucca, sang in the choir loft.

Many of the children remained over from the children's mass at eight o'clock, to attend the ceremony in honor of the Cardinal's birthday, and through the procession the sombre black and brown of the nuns lent added dignity.

To all his friends the Cardinal expressed his gratitude that he has been permitted to reach his present age and to be in health which dedicated ability to carry on his work for many years to come.

W. F. McCARTHY CALLS FOR "YOUNG BLOOD" IN OFFICE

"Boston is stagnated and needs younger blood in the administration of its civic affairs," said William F. McCarthy of Jamaica Plain, a candidate for a seat in the City Council. Mr. McCarthy is an overseas man with distinguished service to his credit. At a number of meetings today Mr. McCarthy outlined plans of improvement in the city government. "What we need in Boston more than anything else," he said, "is younger blood to make the wheels of city government and civic progress revolve. Boston is falling behind other cities, and there is no need for this circumstance considering the excellent natural conditions Boston has at her beck and call."

BISHOPS MAY SEEK TO END STEEL STRIKE

Washington, Dec. 8.—If new efforts to open negotiations for the settlement of the steel strike are successful a committee of prominent Protestant bishops, representing the inter-church world movement, will act as mediators. The commission of bishops has asked permission of the executive committee of the movement to intervene. The strikers' national committee has authorized it to act for the strikers, giving pledge to abide by whatever program of settlement it may arrange with the United States Steel Corporation.

AMERICANS ARE BEST HUSBANDS, SAYS NOVELIST

Elinor Glyn, British Writer, Also Admires Girls From the U. S.

By International News Service.

London, Dec. 8.—The American man is picked as the best husband in the world by Elinor Glyn, famous British novelist, in an article in the Ladies Field today.

"Nearly all of those wonderful people who spring into social fame with the speed of comets as a result of their own force and efforts are Americans," says the writer. "Especially the American women possess vitality and tenacity unknown to the women of any other country in the world.

"Unlike the English women, they do not have to worry over getting a husband, for there are plenty of men to go around in the United States. American women do not have to make any effort whatsoever to get a husband. All they have to do is to express their choice. That is what makes them so successful when they come to Europe.

"RARE AND VALUABLE."

"They have the ingrained sense of superiority. Their assurance is not assumed; it is natural and instinctive. It is due to the fact that they are rare and valuable creatures.

"From the beginning the American women had to be protected from Indians and wild beasts. Later, their favor was fought for because of their scarcity.

"In England it is the men who have always mattered most in the development of the country. The British men have evolved a race of assured creatures who have the same charm in a way that the American women possess.

"Consequently, when an American woman feels that she wants great position in England and if she has much money, there is nothing to prevent her from obtaining it. She has been queen in her own country, so why not queen in another country?

"ENGLISHMEN REALLY NICE."

"English women are beginning to emerge from their confidence, though it may take some generations before they attain their balance again. American assurance they never can attain, unless there comes a plague to reduce their numbers. The continual subconscious mate-hunt could then go to sleep.

"It can be accepted from an elderly woman who has seen men from most of the countries of Europe that no other nation can compare in absolute all-round attraction to the really nice, adorable English gentlemen. But if I wanted generosity, kindness, consideration and absence of disturbing thrills, I would choose the American man for a husband before a man of any other nation in the world."

Kept Girl's Body in Trunk, Waiting for Her Own Death

By International News Service.

Eureka, Cal., Dec. 8 — Mrs. Sarah Tabor, whose explanation of the holding of the body of her daughter Maude in a trunk in Lawton, Mich., reveals a strange death pact, calmly awaited here today the arrival of Michigan officers. She will return with them, she said, and explain everything."

Mrs. Tabor told authorities she and her daughter had agreed to be buried at the same time. Whoever died first was to be embalmed and preserved until the other died.

"My beloved daughter, whose whole soul and being was wrapped in mine, died in my own arms in Lawton in June, 1916. She had taken an overdose of chloroform, which she employed to allay earache. No one was present but my darling girl and myself."

TAX 'EXCESSIVE,' FITZSIMONSES QUIT NEWPORT

Coming Departure Said to Be First of Many Others in Wealthy Colony

Newport, R. I., Dec. 8.—This social centre is stirred today by the announcement that the Paul FitzSimonses are to leave here because of excessive taxes.

That others of the wealthy colony may follow their lead is not uncertain.

The announcement of the FitzSimonses is of great local interest. Mrs. FitzSimons, who was formerly Mrs. Elsie French Vanderbilt, and known as "the fairy godmother of Newport's needy," has been so closely in touch with local charity work that her departure will be most keenly felt.

Besides taking an intimate interest in the poor of Newport, Mrs. FitzSimons was one of the organizers of the Newport Chapter, American Red Cross, which did a great amount of work.

The FitzSimonses have protested against their taxes, which they assert are excessive and incorrect. They did not feel that their charge will be sustained, and so they have announced their intention of moving their residence to Chester, N. H. Part of their time will be spent in their Southern home. The house here, which has long been a social and philanthropic centre, will be kept open for the time being at least.

SAYS STATE CAN OPERATE 'EL' AT PROFIT

Public Ownership Will Bring Lower Fares and End Strikes, Declares A. A. Perry

Former Mayor Albion A. Perry of Somerville, who for twenty-one years was president of the Somerville Savings Bank, today declared that under public ownership of the Boston Elevated fares could be reduced, service improved, the finances stabilized and the grievances of employes settled without strikes.

Mr. Perry spoke before the legislative Committee on Legal Affairs in favor of the McDonnell bill for the purchase by the State of the Elevated stock at a price not to exceed $80 a share.

"Private ownership broke down," he said. "For that reason the Elevated was taken over under a form of public control. There exists a marked suspicion among the people that the roadway may be restored to the private owners after it has been rehabilitated at the public expense.

"Public ownership will take out of politics one of its most dangerous elements. Public service corporations have probably done less of harm in this than other States, but a few days ago our mind was attracted by the letter which said that by the raising of a fund they expected to secure favorable street railway legislation at the hand of this Legislature.

"The fund was to be conducted by a man whose chief claim to distinction was the fact that he once served as chairman of this committee when the street railways were receiving favorable legislation.

"Such a movement is subversive of good government. Under private ownership, the security holders, threatened by adverse legislation which might destroy their property, perhaps felt that the taking of such a step was the logical thing to do."

INJURED SOLDIER MUST FACE LARCENY CHARGE

As soon as he recovers from injuries received when the auto he was driving crashed into a freight train at Beaver Brook station, Waltham, Walter L. Cormier, member of the Coast Artillery unit at Watertown Arsenal, must face a larceny charge.

Officers of the unit claim that the auto which all but cost Cormier his life, was taken by him without authority. The soldier lost control of the car, which was badly damaged. But Cormier escaped with lacerations and bruises.

FINE FOR BENEFIT OF PASSENGER UPHELD

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Arkansas statute imposing a fine of $50 for benefit of aggrieved passengers, where a rate charged by a railroad is in excesse of prescribed rates, was held valid today by the United States Supreme Court. The case came up on appeal by the St. Louis & Iron Mountain Railroad Company against an adverse decision of the Arkansas Court in favor of Lucy Williams, a passenger.

GOES TO NEW ORLEANS FOR "RED" FUGITIVE

Armed with requisition papers for John J. Ballam, indicted under the anti-anarchy law, Inspector James Claflin has left for New Orleans to bring back the man he calls Public Enemy No. 1. Ballam was indicated with Mrs. Marion E. Sproul, John R. Chuseira and Solomon Press, for "Red" activity and inflammatory remarks. As soon as Ballam heard of the arrest of Mrs. Sproul, "Reds" he started for Mexico, but was arrested in New Orleans.

CLINTON CIDER RULED UNDER PROHIBITION BAN

Clinton, Dec. 8.—Hard cider comes under the prohibition ban. Judge Jonathan Smith of the Clinton District Court decided today. Theodore Tefon of Chestnut street, who had been dispensing the beverage, was fined $75 on the charge of illegal keeping of liquor. An analysis of the "apple jack" by State chemists showed it contained 6.7 per cent. alcohol. Tefon served notice of appeal.

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Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents. Druggists also sell larger "Bayer" packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Advertisement.

PETER B. KYNE'S Great New Novel, "The Valley of the Giants,"
STARTS IN THE AMERICAN NEXT THURSDAY. Remember His "Cappy Ricks" Stories!

STREET CONCERTS WILL AID THE CHRISTMAS BASKET FUND

STUDENTS ASSIST CAUSE

Send contributions to "CASHIER BOSTON AMERICAN CHRISTMAS BASKET FUND, 50 Summer street, Boston, Mass." The office of the Christmas Basket Fund is 52 Boylston street, Boston, Mass.

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the Chatterbox Club—will sell tags on the double tag day next Friday and Saturday in aid of the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund to provide dinners for needy families.

It is doubtful if there is a more comely group of girls in New England than those who comprise the Chatterbox club. They are daughters of well-to-do Italians and possess all the charm and beauty of that race.

Those who form the membership of the club are Misses Lydia and Elvira Levis, Anna Soracco, Alma Locatelli, Lillian and Harriet Piotti, Minnie Ferri, Eleanor DeStasio, Laura Pellyesti, Ernestine and Evelyn Bigelli, Melena and Blanche Leonardi, Etta Tranfaglia, Alma Carabbio, Phyllis and Isabel Benaglia, Lena Forte, Edith DiNetro, Mildred Badgalupo, Theresa DiVitis, Pedora Damiano, Elvira Badaracco and Serina Confossetti.

ACTIVE CHARITY WORKERS.

These charming girls will be stationed in the vicinity of the South Station and with their smiles will try to win dimes and quarters from pedestrians to enable the hungry children of Greater Boston and their weary mothers to have enough to eat on Christmas day.

Although organized but a short time the girls have already done much charitable work. The proceeds of their first social affair are to be given to the poor of Plume.

Tags are to be sold in aid of the basket fund next Friday and Saturday in several places. In addition to the City proper, Cambridge, Malden and Quincy will be visited by tag sellers. The co-operation of the overseers of the poor in all these cities has been obtained. It is expected that hundreds will be added to the fund as the result of the tag sale.

Prominent young women who will sell tags for the Christmas Basket Fund. Miss Lydia Levis (at top), Miss Minnie Ferri (at lower left) Miss Amy Kingston (upper right) and Miss Annette Coon, former chief yeoman (F.)

Girls from many schools and colleges, telephone exchanges and offices have enrolled as tag sellers. Some good locations are still left for women who wish to assist in this worthy cause. Application should be made to the Basket Fund Editor, who is located at No. 52 Boylston street.

SINGERS TO AID FUND.

A large number of women who are not in a position to donate money to the fund have volunteered to give a part of their time Friday or Saturday. They fully appreciate the fact that, if they give but three or four hours of their time, it will mean more families will be fed Christmas.

Holiday shoppers will have an opportunity all this week to contribute to the fund if they stop to hear the street concerts being given from an automobile truck by the Jack Mills Serenaders and the singers of Joseph W. Stern & Co.

The Mills Serenaders, consisting of "Nine" Sullivan, Harry Noonan and Billy Sullivan, sing "I Don't Want a Doctor," "My Name is Kelly" and "I'm a Dreamer." The other group, comprised of Billy Moran, Michael Cochran and Sam Wallace, sing "Now I Know," "You Didn't Want Me When You Had Me So Why Do You Want Me Now" and "I Cannot Believe I Lost You." The speakers on the truck include Thomas F. Raldy, deputy supervisor of Loyal Order of Moose, Joseph H. Towle and F. K. Rogers, prominent members of the same organization.

The collections are being made by Mrs. Gertrude Schinn, Mrs. Etta Silver and Miss Zeida Rauch, philanthropic women who have done a great deal of work of a charitable nature. Dainty souvenirs in the form of colored Santa Claus bangles are being given to contributors by these three young women, each of whom has a pleasant personality.

All persons working on the motor truck are giving their services free to aid the basket fund. The use of the truck and services of the driver are given gratis by the trucking firm of C. Bowen, No. 51 Sudbury street. "Connie" and John Bowen, proprietors, are always in the forefront when it comes to giving a helping hand to a cause such as the basket fund.

The total amount collected for the fund at the Farrington Athletic Association bouts in Brockton reached the tidy sum of $112.98. James J. O'Brien, an overseas secretary of the Knights of Columbus, made the announcement and the fans "dug down" in fine style. It was through the courtesy of Matchmaker Billy Goodrich that the collection was taken. "Johnny" Lynch of Cambridge, the referee, started the collection by dropping in a bill. George Freeman of Boston assisted in making the collection successful.

Frank P. Bruce of the New Munros alleys, Quincy, was instrumental in raising $25 for the fund at the weekly roll-off. He contributed the net proceeds to the fund. He has eleven alleys in one floor—the largest number of any bowling alley in New England. The prize winners were "Yankee" Swanson, with a three-string total of 351; D. Sinclair, 338, and Matty McLeod, 326. Those who participated had a good time, enjoying themselves all the more knowing that the evening's proceeds will feed poor children.

The navy is again represented in the list by the gift of $50.50 from the "gobs" of the U. S. S. New Jersey. Many thanks, boys!

LATE CONTRIBUTIONS.

Recent donations to the Basket Fund are:

Boston American	$1000.00
Previous acknowledgments	6471.34
Chas. A. Curtis	2.00
J. A. Kenny	1.00
Helen Miner, 9 years	.50
Florence and Helen Scarpa	2.00
Quincy & Co.	5.00
Mary E. Lind, Juvenile Branch No. 2 of the Army and Navy Union	2.00
Hisker	1.00
Collection Farrington A. A., Brockton	112.98
H. J. S., Dorchester	2.00
Hisker	1.00
A Friend	1.00
Ruth and Marguerite G. Casey	1.00
L. M. J.	1.00
J. S.	5.00
A Friend	1.00
Mary E. Bowe	25.00
E. Martin	1.00
W. H. Hickey	1.00
R. B. Gibson	2.00
J. W. Ellis	85.00
J. P. O'Hara	1.00
F. W. Hagerty	2.00
A. C. Berglund	1.50
F. F. Webb	1.00
William Burns	10.00
Henry J. Sweeney	5.00
Thomas M. Jordan	20.00
A. W. Levett, Brookline	2.00
J. H. S.	1.00
James T. Miller	10.00
W. T. Slater	5.00
J. H. Barker & Co.	5.00
Mrs. Borden Corsi	5.00
Rolf, W. Lord	10.00
McIvine, Edmond and Sylvia Hanover	2.00
Mrs. E. Schmidt	2.50
Enlisted member of Motor Transport	
347 M. T. C., additional	5.00
"Gobs" of U. S. S. New Jersey	50.50
Misses Alice, Quincy, collection	25.00
S. J. Tolfman & Co. employes	10.00
C. J. P.	5.00
Dick Pelletier	1.00
F. E. Wing Marmon Co.	15.00
Total	$7,812.84

Largest Donations to American's Xmas Basket Fund

Boston American	$1,000.00
Fenway A. A. Collection	317.51
George V. Tuohey's Wrestling Tournament Collection	337.93
Armory A. A. Collection	262.22
John H. Dunn Club	110.00
Employes C. G. Gallo	102.00
James J. Phelan	100.00
John Hays Hammond	100.00
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James M. Prendergast	100.00
Al Jolson	100.00
R. J. Baker	100.00
F. L. Sawyer	100.00
John R. McKey	100.00
Charles G. Gallo	100.00
H. C. Sawtelle	100.00
Betty B. and June M. Green	100.00
L. D. Griswold	100.00
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Col. Edward E. Britton	50.00
E. M. Hamlin	50.00
Col. William A. Gaston	50.00

Girls Needed to Aid Basket Fund on Tag Days

Women who wish to make hungry children happy Christmas may do so by selling tags in aid of Boston American Christmas Basket Fund Friday and Saturday of this week. Apply to Basket Fund Editor, No. 82 Boylston street, Boston.

To Relieve a Cough
Take HAYES' HEALING HONEY. 35c per bottle —Advt.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets, which destroy germs, act as a Tonic and Laxative, and drive out Colds and Influenza. There is only "BROMO QUININE." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box. 30c.—Advt.

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We will ship by parcel post anywhere (prepaid) 1½ lb. box fresh shelled pecans (whole halves), or 2 lb. box broken halves, for $1 currency or P. O. money order; no c. o. d. shipments. Prices quoted on larger quantities. All pecans put up in sanitary boxes. Address

Brackledge Fruit & Nut Co.
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Socialists Join Bolsheviki

London, Dec. 8.—The German Independent Socialist party, at a conference in Leipzig, decided to join the Bolsheviki, says a Berlin dispatch to the Daily Telegraph.

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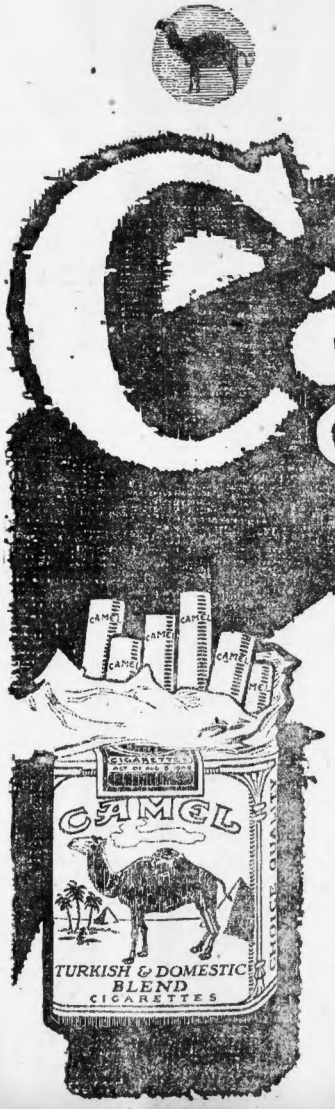

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GERMAN MONARCHISTS PLOT TO SEAT CROWN PRINCE

BY KARL H. VON WIEGAND
Special Correspondent of the Boston American
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Berlin, Dec. 8.—"Our aim is the restoration of the German monarchy upon the British pattern. Our program includes:

"Electing Hindenburg president at the coming election.

"A plebiscite of the German people on the question: 'Monarchy or republic?'

"Putting Crown Prince Friedrich Wilhelm, the rightful heir, upon the throne if the plebiscite decides for a monarchy, which we believe it will."

This summarizes briefly the substance of the first authoritative statement given out by the German Royalist, or monarchical party. I obtained it from Colonel Max Bauer, one of the chief leaders of that party, who sometimes is called Ludendorff's right-hand man.

I submitted written questions as to the intentions, plans and aims of the Royalist movement in Germany. Designated or self-elected—I do not know which—as the spokesman for the monarchical party, Colonel Bauer's name was given to me as the man who would answer these questions.

I had a long interview with him in the presence of another interesting personage who has played a considerable role, but whom I cannot mention at this time. The answers to my questions were reduced to writing.

MONARCHISTS IN OPEN.

They are certain to create a stir in Germany as well as abroad. Their importance lies in these facts:

1—They comprise the first authoritative statement of the Royalist party.

2—They show the German monarchists have decided to come out in the open.

3—The aim to restore the monarchy is frankly admitted.

4—This monarchy is to be fashioned after the British pattern.

5—Hindenburg is desired as National President as a means to that end.

6—It is declared that force is not to be resorted to in restoring the monarchy, but that the people's will through a plebiscite, is to have the final, or sociological problems are to be solved. In other words, the restoration of the monarchy will solve itself automatically.

NATION BORN INTO MONARCHY.

"It must be explained to foreigners why monarchism is so deeply-rooted in our people. We have been a monarchy for a long row of centuries. We are all, as it were, born only in it. Personal services unite nearly every family at every spot with the monarch.

"Furthermore, all know that Prussia particularly owes its development to the Hohenzollerns. In addition, the German, with his inclination to criticise, needs a point where his criticism stops—and that is the monarch, not the president.

"The faults and defects of the old regime will be ruthlessly removed and abolished. We have learned much, and we will profit by the lessons, and we desire to adapt ourselves to the times.

"The future monarch in Germany will have essentially the same authority and prerogatives as the national president will have after the final determination of the constitution; that is to say, his will be a sort of life presidency."

"And is Wilhelm II. to return?" I asked.

Then followed the unmistakable notice that the ex-Kaiser is not desired again and that monarchist party is done with him.

This led me to the critical question: "Who, then, is the candidate of the monarchist party?"

"The Crown Prince," was the frank reply. "He is the legal heir, and as he has the qualifications of a modern ruler it will not be possible to pass him by. The conviction is steadily growing that the reports and rumors circulated about him are untrue, that they were manufactured to discredit him, and that this will be publicly re-established in the near future.

"In reality the Crown Prince is a prudent, frank, straight-forward, honest man, with a strong will and a warm heart for his fatherland and people. He can work intensively and understands how to choose and utilize his co-workers. He is the proper man for the throne. That Prussia should ever send for any other dynasty than the Hohenzollerns is out of the question."

MONARCHY WILL DIFFER.

"The future monarchy will be, of course, a really central power, but this centralized power will above all lie in the representatives elected by the people."

"It is assumed, then, that a monarchial government can more quickly reconstruct and build up Germany than the present form?" was my next question.

"The present German government can in no event reconstruct Germany," answered the spokesman of the German monarchists. "The present government is identified in the consciousness of the German people with the signing of the armistice and the Versailles treaty, which forced upon us unfulfillable conditions.

"In addition, the realization and the conviction that our collapse was due to the undetermined agitation of the Social-Democrats during many years is gaining ground among the German people.

"But the question of re-establishing the monarchy is not yet acute or ripe. Before and above everything else, the financial, economic, and social, or sociological problems are to be solved. In other words, the restoration of the monarchy will solve itself automatically.

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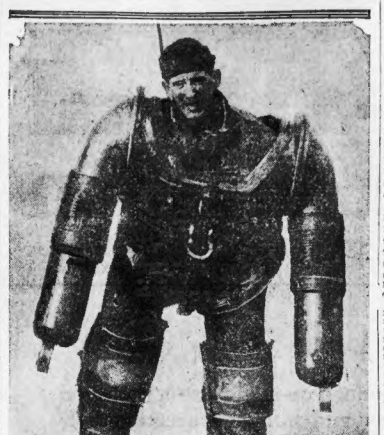

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John T. Turner of Philadelphia, a professional diver, at the finish of a test off Boston Harbor. He went down 360 feet in the new diving suit. The invention will be used in diving for treasure contained in ships sunk during the war.

CALL OFF STRIKE AT R. H. LONG FACTORY

Workmen in Bela Body Plant Give Up Fight for Three Hours' Overtime

Framingham, Dec. 8.—The striking employes of the Bela Body Company, owned by Richard H. Long, recent candidate for Governor, returned to work today after a conference in which it was decided to drop the demands for overtime pay, for which they struck. They had been out ten days.

The strikers informed the officials of the plant that they would return if all the employes who walked out were taken back. This was agreed by the manufacturers, and the men answered the factory whistle this morning.

Hours of labor were increased in the factory from 45 to 48 for a week's work. Overtime pay, at the rate of time and a half, was asked by the employes for the additional three hours. This was refused by the manufacturers.

SCHOOL BOARD FIGHT ON AT NORTH ADAMS

North Adams, Dec. 8.—Marked by one of the quietest campaigns in the city's history, North Adams will tomorrow hold its annual city election. The chief interest is in school committee contests with three candidates for two berths. The only other contests are in the city council field where there are ten candidates for seven places. Indications are that there will be a large license vote.

Carpentier Urged to Wed by Women "Eugenists"

Paris, Dec. 8.—Georges Carpentier, European heavyweight champion, is shirking a match.

That is the claim of a group of "eugenist" French women who protest the champion is not fulfilling his patriotic duty—marriage. Eugenically speaking, it is claimed, Carpentier is a supreme specimen of French manhood and the women assert: "It is not right for him to remain childless."

The protesting women suggest a law forcing the conqueror of Joe Beckett to assume the burdens of a family and thus set an example for other athletes who measure up to the eugenic standards.

It may be remarked, however, that Carpentier already has married down the goodly number of 1,567 others of marriage from as many members of the fair sex.

MAY TRY CROWN PRINCE IN FORTRESS OF METZ

London, Dec. 8.—The former Crown Prince of Germany will probably be arraigned in the fortress of Metz when the allies begin trying German officers on war crime charges, according to a dispatch to Reynolds Newspaper.

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LEGION HEEDS DEMAND OF AMERICAN

Federal Agencies to Hear Desires of Men at Conference Here December 15

Today comes the announcement from Washington that official heed has been paid to the demand of the Boston American that the American Legion make its declarations relative to the needs of disabled soldiers, sailors and marines effective.

There has been no real co-operation between the legion and the Federal Board for Vocational Education and the War Risk Insurance Bureau. That has been the chief reason for the lack of quick and generous action by the Federal agencies in their handling of the affairs of the wounded.

The American has repeatedly pointed out this fault and suggested remedies. Last Wednesday the urgency of real co-operation for the promotion of the rights of the disabled and a practical way to secure it was pointed out by the American with the result that matters affected by resolutions passed at the national convention of the American Legion last month concerning the relations of the Vocational Board and the War Risk Insurance Bureau to former service men and their beneficiaries and dependents will be discussed at a conference here December 15 of State commanders of the Legion, National Commander Franklin D'Olier, Surgeon-General Blue of the public health service and members of the Federal Board for Vocational Education.

In announcing today the calling of the conference, Director Cholmeley-Jones of the War Risk Bureau said closer co-operation of the most practical nature would be sought between the bureau and the soldiers' organizations.

ASSUMPTION CHURCH CELEBRATION CLOSES

The four-day golden jubilee anniversary of the Church of the Assumption, East Boston, ended with the celebration of a solemn high mass attended by Cardinal O'Connell and other church dignitaries.

Following an eloquent sermon by the Rev. M. J. Doody, pastor, who reviewed the growth of the church and Catholicism in Greater Boston, Cardinal O'Connell paid tribute to the Irish immigrants who, in a strange land, built the edifice with that devotion to faith characteristic of their race.

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A baby boy, believed to have been born Saturday night, was found on the front doorstep of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Kapsis at No. 4 Fowler street, Quincy, by Mrs. Kapsis.

Mrs. Joseph Sweeney, a neighbor, saw a woman in black sealskin coat pass along the street carrying a bag and saw her stop at the Kapsis' steps and return without the bag, she informed the police. The police are now making a search for the woman to see if she can throw any light on the matter. Mrs. Sweeney is positive she can identify her.

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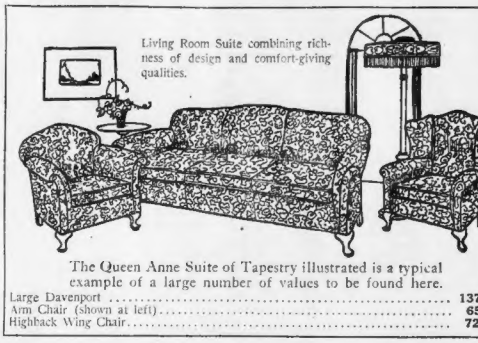

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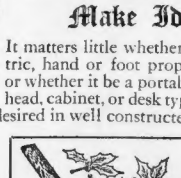

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No. 134—With chain stitch and drop head. No bobbin, 48.00

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THE SMILE OF A SORCERER By ROBERT W. CHAMBERS
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"The mad stallion swerved from the main trail....'I'll catch him and ride him till his heart breaks!'"
BETTER DAYS By GOUVERNEUR MORRIS
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"I saw Joe fall heavily. The sight maddened me." An incident in the life-story of Marie Ganz—"Into Anarchy and Out Again."
WILD JOE AND I FIGHT THE POLICE
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ALREADY—at the very moment you read this—a thousand particularly intelligent men and women are asking their newsdealers for Hearst's for November. Minute by minute and hour by hour—all over the United States—this will continue until 500,000 of the best informed and progressive magazine readers in America have secured their copies.

The others, disappointed, will have to wait until next month—or be satisfied with some lesser magazine.

"From the window above a light suddenly rested upon the face of the climbing thief—a fist crashed against Dick's forearm and his pistol dropped to the roof."
THE CLOCK WITH GOLDEN HANDS
By ARTHUR SOMERS ROCHE
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Vicente Blasco Ibanez
Gouverneur Morris
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YOU, perhaps, already have your new November number. You have looked at the Table of Contents—Ibanez, Maeterlinck, Conan Doyle, G. K. Chesterton. Or, nearer home, Judge E. H. Gary, head of U. S. Steel, on "Something More Than the Pay Envelope." Or B. C. Forbes, K. C. B., Walt Mason, Dr. Frank Crane. Or you have, maybe, turned first to the Art—Play—Book—Science—of the Month. One thing is certain, you have noticed the authority of Hearst's—the splendid serious side of Hearst's Magazine.

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"Suddenly opens wide its jaws and swallows profits and capital at a single gulp."—What a philosopher knows of Gambling and the Laws of Chance.
LIKE A BLIND AND DROWSY CROCODILE
By MAURICE MAETERLINCK
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BUT—you say—you buy a magazine for its fiction. Good! Here in Hearst's for November are stories by Robert W. Chambers, Richard Washburn Child, Arthur Somers Roche, and Bruno Lessing; Arthur Stringer, Edwin Balmer and Gouverneur Morris. Besides these are three English writers F. E. Baily, Derek Vane, E. Phillips Oppenheim—as well as Maurice Level, the best of the modern French writers. All in selected stories—stories that will make you think!

"He was just out of school, wore his hair roached, and chewed gum."—An article full of good advice for salesmen and good laughs for everybody.
SALESMEN WHO CAN'T SELL ME ANYTHING
By WALT MASON
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"Revenot stopped suddenly, murmuring, 'I can't remember!'"—A poignantly tragic story by a French writer who seems destined to rank with de Maupassant and O. Henry.
THE DEBT COLLECTOR
By MAURICE LEVEL
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IF you are not interested in a magazine a bit beyond the ordinary—if you don't particularly care for a magazine that will make you think—you won't want Hearst's this month or any other. BUT, if you want the works of the world's great writers; if you want the words of the world's real leaders; if you want the thoughts of the world's great thinkers, don't fail to make sure each month—starting today with November—of your regular copy of

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"Although the Governor's hand was extended eagerly the prisoner took a look at the photograph before he passed it on."—The story of a convict's love for a daughter who did not even know him—and of his great sacrifice for her.
A WHIFF OF HELIOTROPE
By RICHARD WASHBURN CHILD
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File Eva C. Dix Inventory

An inventory of the estate of Eva C. Dix of Melrose has been filed. The estate is valued at $15,413.93.

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TALENTED GIRLS SEEK MOVIE HONORS

Miss Clara Kimball Young, appearing at the Waldorf Theatre in her master-film, "Eyes of Youth."

Miss Carolyn C. Gardelia, of No. 19 Yale street, Medford, who hopes to succeed Miss Young as America's foremost film actress.

Miss Mildred E. Brandhill, of No. 274 Poplar street, Roslindale, another contestant seeking to wear Miss Young's crown.

Clara Kimball Young, whose remarkable desire to pick her own successor has been explained to the readers of the American, will be seen in Boston today on the screen at the Waldorf Theatre in what is considered the greatest picture she has ever made, "Eyes of Youth."

There are few film stars who are willing to sink their identity to play character roles, to mar their pretty faces and to don the gray wig of old age, but Miss Young has never hesitated to play such parts and she expects her successor to be willing to do the same.

"Eyes of Youth" was seen in Boston last season as a drama, but the fantastic character of the plots was such that it makes a far better film story than it did a play. There were so many sudden changes of scenery in the play that there were long waits between the acts. On the screen, of course, the scene changes with the greatest rapidity.

Miss Young plays four roles, the ingenuous young girl straying life, the deceived wife, the wicked adventuress and the dope fiend. They require the most remarkable versatility and ingenuity.

Her screen offer, therefore, is not for pretty faces though no woman can succeed on the screen who is not beautiful, but for brains and temperament, and the letters submitted to the photoplay editor of the American are as important as the photographs in the selection of the young woman who will be given a free trip to California to meet Miss Young. The specification of the offer are as follow:

Age, over seventeen and under twenty.
Eyes, blue.
Hair, brown or black.
Weight, 115 to 125.
Education, high school.
Experience, none wanted.
Parental consent in writing.
Temperament, emotional.

Gus White, the photographer, Tremont and Avery streets, has volunteered to make one photo free for aspirants who wish to enter the contest, but only when they present a letter from the manager of the Waldorf Theatre.

The American will assist the young candidates for Miss Young's laurels and will publish photographs of the most attractive contestants. Send photos with letters not more than 100 words in length to the photoplay editor, Boston American.

SOLDIER VOTE FEATURE OF ELECTIONS

Many Service Men Are Running for Office in Twenty Municipal Contests

The license question, strength of the soldier vote and local contests will feature the municipal elections to be held in fifteen Massachusetts cities tomorrow.

It is believed that with but few exceptions the voters tomorrow will follow the example set last Tuesday, when twenty municipalities gave majorities for license.

There are mayoralty contests in nine of the fifteen cities, and service men are taking an active interest in several of these. In Chelsea Lawrence F. Quigley, former service man and former State representative, is opposing the re-election of Mayor Breath.

SERVICE MAN A CANDIDATE.

John J. Gilbride, a former service man, is also opposing Mayor Perry D. Thompson of Lowell. The contest is close, and while there is no party designation in municipal elections, Gilbride is regarded as a Democrat and Thompson as a Republican.

In Lynn service men are campaigning for Asa T. Newhall, who is contesting the return to office of Mayor Walter H. Creamer. Members of Post 6, American Legion, have declared that if Newhall is elected, they will at once adopt measures for the establishment of a home for ill and disabled soldiers.

Mayor Creamer's supporters are emphasizing his expressed intention of erecting a city hall to cost at least $100,000, as a memorial to the Lynn men who died in service.

DEARBORN TRYING AGAIN.

Other mayoralty contests to which considerable interest attaches are in Woburn, where Mayor Golden is opposed by Alderman W. M. Dearborn, an unsuccessful candidate last year; Malden, where Acting Mayor John V. Kimball is opposed by former Mayor Charles Schumaker; Everett, where Mayor Weeks is seeking re-election for a third term, opposed by City Engineer Christopher Harrison; Worcester, where Peter F. Sullivan, Democrat, is hopeful of defeating Mayor Holmes, Republican, and Melrose where Mayor Adams has four opponents in his fight for re-election.

The cities in which there will be no mayoralty contests are Revere, where the Republicans, except in two wards, are unopposed for the City Council and school board; Attleboro, Beverly, Medford, Newton and North Adams.

TROLLEYS NEED PRIVATE CAPITAL, REPORTS WARREN

Washington, Dec. 8—The electric railways of the country can be made to function properly only by the use of private capital and enterprise, Bentley W. Warren of Boston, counsel for the committee of one hundred of the American Electric Railway Association, declared today in a brief filed with the Federal Electric Railway Commission. This commission made an exhaustive study of the electric street railway problem last Summer and probably will report its finding to President Wilson this month.

$200 LOSS IN SHAFT FIRE ON WASHINGTON STREET

Fire believed to have been started by friction of the elevator belting did damage estimated at $200 today in the rear of Nos. 107 and 109 Washington street, occupied by the Los Angeles Company, importers and grocers, and the American Baking Company. The blaze was confined to the elevator shaft.

WILSON-HOUSE SPLIT RUMOR TIRES TUMULTY

Washington, Dec. 8.—The White House again today denied that there had been a split between President Wilson and Colonel House. "I have denied that report so many times, I am tired of it," said Secretary Tumulty. The President and Colonel House are in constant communication, it was stated.

VISCOUNT GREY SPEAKS AT HARVARD TONIGHT

Viscount Edward Grey, ambassador to the United States, speaks before the members of the Harvard Union this evening at 8:30 o'clock. He will be introduced by President Lowell. Governor Coolidge is expected to attend. When the European War broke out in 1914, he was secretary of foreign affairs in England and did his best to prevent hostilities. He was recently appointed ambassador to the United States, and accepted the appointment temporarily, despite the fact that he was in ill health.

WANTS U. S. TO HELP END JEWISH POGROMS

New York, Dec. 8.—Abram Coralnik, representing the Jewish organizations in Ukrainia, who has just arrived in this country, is planning to appeal to the State Department to help end the pogroms in that quarter of Russia. Mr. Coralnik declared that 40,000 Ukrainian Jews have been massacred this year, and that at least 1,000,000 have been wounded. He denied that the Jews of Ukrainia and Lithuania are supporting the Bolsheviki.

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FENWAY THEATRE

Skating at North Adams

North Adams, Dec. 8.—Skating is now being enjoyed in northern Berkshire. A number of the ponds in this section are coated with ice several inches in thickness and young people are holding many skating parties.

JAIL MAN WHO FOOLED WOMAN IN SUGAR DEAL

Failure to supply 25c worth of sugar after boastful assurances that he could get all he wanted, the police say, led to the arrest of Ernest Richardson, aged twenty years, of Perry street, Malden, by inspectors Burke and Morrissey on a charge of larceny.

According to Mrs. N. C. Kalatzian of No. 159 Walnut street, Everett, Richardson induced her to give him $45 to buy sugar at the Boston postoffice, but he failed to do so.

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GERMAN I. W. W. AIDS MOVE FOR REVOLT HERE

Combine With Reds in United States to Overthrow U.S. Government

By International News Service.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The German I. W. W. has affiliated itself with the American I. W. W. and is working in support of the latter organization to precipitate a revolution in the United States by influencing the dissatisfied element of the Germans in this country, officials here declared today.

Reports received by the Department of Justice show that during the past six weeks 20,000 members have joined the I. W. W. in Hamburg and that proportionate enrollments are being made in other German cities.

A resolution passed by the German I. W. W. recently states:

"Our Hamburg comrades have requested us to inform the German workers living in the United States that not a single class conscious German worker intending to return home will leave the United States without joining the I. W. W. All those workers who return to Germany as members of the I. W. W. will be recognized there as members of the German branch of the I. W. W. The dues paid in America will be valid in Germany. Also the German membership card."

Reports on file at the Department of Justice indicate that the German I. W. W. movement is extending to Austria and even to Hungary. This is the first time that actual proof exists that the radical movement throughout the United States is receiving the active support of German workers and that the relationship between radical organizations in both countries is nearly perfect, according to officials.

Internationalization of the radical organization makes it possible to pool funds raised by it for the overthrow of established government everywhere.

According to information recently received by the government, the I. W. W. will attempt to completely control the ports of New York, Seattle and Philadelphia through a "tremendous" increase in its enrollment of longshoremen.

"To arouse their members, propaganda is used to show ill-treatment of I. W. W. agents in America.

SHIPS AND FACTORIES USING MORE FUEL OIL

The strike by soft coal miners is resulting in increased use of fuel oil by ships and by industrial plants. New England manufacturing plants have been consuming 40,000,000 tons of coal a year, but substitution of oil already has reduced this amount by several million tons, and the displacement has only begun.

Oil is rapidly supplanting coal as a steamship fuel. The U. S. Bureau of Mines reports that more than 8,823,900 barrels of oil were consumed during the first nine months of this year by vessels engaged in foreign trade. The increase over the corresponding 1918 period was 4,028,800 barrels, or 84 per cent.

8 KILLED, 52 HURT, IN ITALIAN STRIKE RIOTS

Rome, Dec. 8.—Eight persons were killed and fifty-two injured in the recent disorders at Mantua. The strikes which broke throughout the kingdom immediately after the opening session of Parliament have been ended.

The Chamber of Deputies is reported in a mood to accept the King's program of legislative and constitutional reform. One feature is said to be a bill under which henceforth all treaties will have to be submitted to Parliament.

"L" WORKER CRUSHED TO DEATH AT GROVE HALL

Raymond Perry, aged twenty-eight, of No. 116 Falcon street, East Boston, a conductor, employed by the Boston Elevated Railway, was fatally injured at the Grove Hall station in Roxbury.

He was caught between the body of a trolley car and an upright in the station, and was so severely crushed that he died on the way to the City Hospital.

POLICE SEEK AUTO THAT KILLED RAYNHAM GIRL

North Raynham, Dec. 8.—Esther Atwood, aged fourten years, was instantly killed when she was struck by a speeding automobile on Broadway, near the Brockton short line trestle.

The driver of the machine did not stop and the police of towns along the route to Brockton were warned to be on the watch.

Alsace and Lorraine Tragedy Comes to Happy Ending

Paris, Dec. 8.—Parliament met in special session today in the final act in the drama of Alsace and Lorraine, which endured for nearly fifty years.

On March 1, 1871, M. Gambetta read to the National Assembly the news that Alsace and Lorraine had been torn from France by Germany, at the same time affirming the determination of the provinces to remain loyal to the motherland, despite German domination.

The long tragedy ended this afternoon when one of Alsatia's deputy, speaking for his twenty-three colleagues, solemnly reaffirmed the declaration of 1871. The return of the provinces to France was formally announced. They had been reconquered by France with the help of the allies and the United States.

The new deputies entered the chamber in a body and took their places in twenty-four new seats that had been especially constructed for the new lawmakers from Alsace and Lorraine.

WHO'S WHO ON BOSTON'S NEW POLICE FORCE

PATRICK F. HANNON.

Patrick F. Hannon, new member of the traffic division, will soon become familiar with the ceaseless traffic conditions at Tremont and Winter streets, one of the busiest sections of the city, where he is stationed a portion of the day. Previous to joining the department he was employed as a private chauffeur. His experience thus gained will bear him in good stead in his present position. He is married and has one child. His home is at No. 168 Hillside street, Roxbury.

ARREST WILL BE MADE IN WALTHAM PLANT FIRE

Following a fire in the office of the J. C. Totten Company's toy plant, Winter street, Waltham, an arrest will be made, according to the police and firemen, who investigated. The fire was discovered by William H. Parkman, who lives near the plant. The flames were confined to the office, which was damaged to the extent of $100. Firemen are going around the building found tracks in the snow, which they followed to the Pond End district. Police believe the fire was incendiary.

WOMAN ASKS $10,000 FOR WRECKED LOVE

Mary D. Livingston of Boston has brought suit for $10,000 breach of promise against Louis A. Kaston, also of Boston. She says that on Nov. 3, 1918, she agreed to marry Kaston and that she is still ready to marry him.

12 FINED ON GAMBLING CHARGE AT CLINTON

Clinton, Dec. 8.—Michael A. Ruane, proprietor of a grocery store at No. 147 Mechanic street, was fined $50 on a gambling charge in the district court today. Ruane and twelve other men were arrested Saturday night in a raid of his store. One of the twelve was discharged and the other eleven fined $5 each.

DYE INDUSTRY NEEDED FOR WAR, SAYS SIBERT

Washington, Dec. 8.—The United States was producing more poison gas at the end of the war than Great Britain, France and Germany combined, Major-General William S. Sibert, chief of the Chemical Warfare Service, told the Senate dyestuffs special committee today. Sibert said that the development of the dye and other coal tar distillation industries in the United States is necessary for the production of gases for warfare and high explosives. More than 4,000 tons of mustard gas was sent to France before November 1, 1918, Sibert said.

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AMERICAN SPORT SECTION

U. S. GOLF ASSOCIATION MOVES FOR STANDARDIZED GAME

By ROBERT E. HARLOW.

The United States Golf Association has decided to send a committee to England early this Spring to confer with the Royal and Ancient Committee of St. Andrews so that the rules which govern golf in the British Isles and America will be equalized and the question of the stymie, a standard ball and minor matters settled definitely.

It will be the first time the United States Association has sent representatives abroad for such a purpose and the conference will easily be the most important the game has known. Changes in rules agreed to will be accepted the world over as official and tournament play thereafter will be so governed.

There is a growing sentiment on both sides of the Atlantic against the stymie and legislation eliminating it may be expected to result from the meeting. The question of the standard ball is quite another matter, although the opponents of such a proposition seem to greatly outnumber those who favor it. It is to be presumed that the representatives of American and British golf who sit in the conference will take pains to learn how their constituency thinks concerning these points before casting their votes.

WHITNEY TO HEAD COMMITTEE.

The decision to send an American committee to St. Andrews was reached by Frederick S. Wheeler, president, and Howard F. Whitney, secretary of the United States Association. These officials have been in communication with the Royal and Ancient committee and have been asked to express opinions concerning the subject under fire. The St. Andrews body has been unwilling to make important changes in the rules of golf without consulting with the United States Association.

It is likely that Howard F. Whitney will head the American committee. Certainly no man in American golf is better fitted for the post. He has been an official of the United States Association during many administrations and besides knowing the thoughts of all of the former and present officials of the association knows all of the professional and amateur tournament players who have obtained any prominence in the championship competition of the past dozen years.

The committee will be appointed at the annual meeting of the Association in New York, January 9. There undoubtedly will be a free discussion of the views of the various golf questions at this New York meeting, so that the American delegates will be uniquely informed on the golf ball questions at this New York meeting, so that the American delegates will be uniquely informed on the golf ball question before the visit to England. It is also probable that the committee will go abroad with definite instructions.

CLIMUT OPPOSES STYMIE.

Francis Ouimut is one of the latest to come out against the stymie. In a golf article in yesterday's Advertiser, he said that the stymie was the only blot on the game and gave a splendid example of why he objects. He refers to the final hole of the match in a Western amateur championship, in which an opportunity to square a hole was lost because of the stymie.

Dr. Hunter was one down at the 18th tee. He drove well and placed his second six feet from the pin. His opponent was short in two, but hit Dr. Hunter a terrific shot with his third. It was impossible for Dr. Hunter to negotiate the stymie and lose by the match, although he had clearly outplayed his opponent and deserved to win the hole and square the match.

Such cases are numerous and appear to most golfers to be more than sufficient cause for abolishing the stymie. Harry Vardon has spoken against the stymie. The big argument for it is that if abolished it would often be necessary for the player to remove his ball and thus the great principle that the natural lie of the ball should never be interfered with would be broken.

AS TO STANDARD BALL.

It will probably be much more difficult to reach an agreement concerning a standard ball, for such a move has many supporters who have a few excellent arguments at their disposal. One is that present day far-flying balls give the scoring hitter an advantage which cannot often be made up by a more skillful and accurate golfer, and another is the argument that the golf course architects will always be up in the air until they can work with some definite knowledge of what sort of a ball they are building for.

The golf ball manufacturers in the British Isles and in America are strongly opposed to any move to standardize golf balls. The fact that the British manufacturers are against it came as quite a surprise to a number of Americans, who imagined that their competitors on the other side were becoming alarmed and sought some sort of legislation which would prevent the American firms flooding their markets with far-flying balls with a "made in the U. S. A." stamp upon them.

MANUFACTURERS OBJECT.

Evidently the British do not fear the American-made ball, for at a meeting in London they instructed their committee to inform the Royal and Ancient committee of St. Andrews that they were not in favor of any move to standardize golf balls and gave as one reason and fact that it would put a curb on inventive genius. They also reported that such action would render necessary the manufacture of steel golf ball moulds, which they claim would be a very expensive replenish in order to manufacture a standard ball.

The international conference may bring to light some new angle on the amateur question, although this thing and that has been said on much on both sides of the Atlantic that pretty well recognized standards have been set up.

The announcement made by Mr. Whitney follows:

"For some weeks past the Secretary of the United States Golf Association has been in communication with the Royal and Ancient Committee of St. Andrews, now that the committee has been completed in regard to certain modifications in the rules of golf and the establishment of standards of golf ball. A great deal of study has been given these subjects both here and abroad, and it has been deemed wise, in order that there may be a thorough understanding of the matter in results accomplished, to send a committee representing the United States Golf Association abroad in the early Spring to confer with the Royal and Ancient Committee on the above subjects, as well as on some minor matters. This committee to be appointed by the Executive Committee of the United States Golf Association on January 9, in New York City, at the time other particulars will be brought out at that time."

Indoor Sports By Tad

FOOTBALL DOUBLE-HEADERS BIG BOOST FOR GAME

By CHARLES E. PARKER.

Football double-headers are on the boards for next Fall at the Harvard Stadium, according to the latest.

Maybe someone listened in on a recent conversation with Eddie Casey, for a few days before Eddie and some of his Crimson football mates forsook the Harvard squad to witness the Yale-Princeton contest at New Haven, the Natick youth had something to say that might have led to the supposed new arrangement.

Eddie bemoaned the fact that during the 1919 season he had had so little opportunity to play football, and that with but two games remaining on the Harvard schedule and in his last season as a college football player, he must give up playing in one of them in order to visit New Haven.

"A chap who likes to play football and is good enough to make the varsity team doesn't get his money's worth," remarked Eddie. "This season I have been allowed to play a few minutes in the preliminary games and then I've been yanked out. And now it is two weeks from the end of my college career and I have to give up the thought of playing against Tufts. Only in two games in the entire season have I been fairly sure of being in the thick of the fray in major portions of the game, and, for a fellow who likes football, that isn't enough."

MIGHT DEVELOP STARS.

Two games each Saturday during the preliminary season would do much to offset the poor Casey hands and might result in bringing to light many stars who otherwise would have gone unrecognized, for each year there are a number of men on the squads of Harvard and other larger universities who, because they have not been given sufficient opportunity to show their football worth.

Then again, such a scheme might work to the advantage of Harvard's early season opponents. In the past, when the small college teams, with limited numbers of players, have met the Crimson four or five different sets of Harvard opponents, each set getting its chance to display a good showing, many of the midget college players have been rendered unfit for further football for weeks and sometimes months. Under the proposed scheme no more than two or three of the Harvard players could encounter them and their chance of withstanding the attack of the husky, untired players would be doubled.

ON WRONG TACK.

Bill Roper is in Dutch.

Bill, you remember, coached Princeton's team during the past football season and, just before its close, Bill was interviewed to the effect that Yale was a set-up.

It was a big thing for Princeton. That the fighting spirit displayed by Yale constitutes an accomplishment seldom achieved in recent years he is the first one to admit. Because of that Princeton adherents generally and Bill Roper particularly became quite perky and lost sight of one or two important things.

Bill has shown a peculiar keenness to show in a series of football articles he sold to a newspaper syndicate. He picked the All-America football team which—possibly because they had no place on Harvard and Yale schedules—failed to tie Harvard and beat Yale. He directed his most testy harangue against Cornell.

Now "Speedy" Rush, whom Bill Roper succeeded as Princeton's coach, handled the Cornell team last year, and while "Speedy" failed to produce a great team and is not likely to in the future unless he learns how to build a counting offense, it was hardly Bill's place, as Rush's successor, to criticise the latter's team work.

PICKED UP PLAYS LATE.

Particularly is this true when one considers the type of play employed by Rush's proteges in the game of the recent season. About all that team had to offer, until its final two games, was a forward pass and a fake kick during his regime at Tiger town, and, although West Virginia and Penn State appeared on Princeton's schedule, the Tigers might have had nothing else to offer Harvard and Cornell when Bill promptly pilfered the formations. Those Colgate and West Virginia plays and the plays Princeton learned from Rush, aided by Harvard overconfidence and Yale eyes-foot-lishness allowed Bill to conclude a woeful football season rather happily for his interests.

Bill may be a great coach, but we don't think so as he has proved the point and, next year, defensive will be built for the pilfered forward passes and Bill will be over-confident and Yale won't be over-foolish—and, because Bill won't be at variance with publicity, he'll be a good coach.

The Cornell Sun already has taken Bill to task, and it is anticipated that influential Princeton men will take the matter up and that there will be a movement against the custom of coaches writing their names to newspaper syndicates.

PREP STARS FOR DARTMOUTH.

We have heard of a number of excellent high school and preparatory school players who plan to matriculate at Dartmouth next Fall, but people at Hanover seem to assert that a large group of stars as does the Allen Military school of West Newton, which on Saturday won the inter-city private school championship from Hamilton Institute.

The outstanding stars of the game were Captain Hal Hickman and Hudson, ends; Cavanaugh and Yovin, guards; Maxwell, tackle, and Burke, halfback, and all but the last named has announced his intention of entering Dartmouth next year. If Hickman's quarterback Hamilton Institute is a fair sample of his wingmanship, Dartmouth will gain one of the best prep school ends of the season, for, in addition to playing a slashing defensive and offensive game throughout the contest, Hickman received two long passes for touchdowns and intercepted a third, which with a brilliant open field exhibition for forty-three yards, resulted in a fourth touchdown. Cavanaugh and Yovin of the big men of a big line, and the former provided one of the most brilliant plays seen this season. Hamilton employed many double-pass, delayed-pass and lateral pass plays, but not until it became too dark to see, did such plays gain consistently, and at no other times he was through the line and behind Hamilton backs for losses.

RANKED IN SECOND.

The football writer of the New York Times in the Sunday issue of that paper took up the task of ranking the Eastern elevens by employing a group system, arrived at the most logical conclusions yet offered.

The following is his classification: Group 1—Harvard, Pennsylvania, Dartmouth, Carlisle, Dartmouth, Penn State, Syracuse.

Group 2—Harvard, Pennsylvania, Dartmouth, Carlisle, Washington and Jefferson, West Virginia.

Group 3—Navy, Yale.

Group 4—Army, Boston, Brown, Georgetown, Lafayette, Lehigh, Rutgers.

Group 5—Amherst, Cornell, Stevens, Wesleyan, Williams.

Next week we'll allows the alphabet to determine the order in the group, which, in truth, is about the only fair way for, as pointed out in his article, "It is not unreasonable to assume that any one team in each group could have defeated any of the others."

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If his success at "calling it" were to follow him after his graduation, Captain Bob Peck of Penn State could win a fortune at gambling for every game during the 1919 season Higgins and Peck defeating the free tossed the coin, and won the right to defend the goal or kick-off. Bob's friends, students at Penn State publicity, are accusing him of being a rabbit's foot in his uniform.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL MEET AT Y. M. C. A. SATURDAY

All grammar school athletes and rooters from the schools of Back Bay, South End and Roxbury will travel to the Boston "Y" Saturday afternoon for the big meet.

The all around the forty-yard dash will be given at 2:30 p. m. Practically every school in the district will be represented. All contestants should be on hand at 2 p. m. to weigh in and be checked off. Five places for the "School Trophy" will be scored in every event and three place winners will be awarded medals. In all, except the relays in which the team is the unit, the time will receive medals.

No admission will be charged.

HUGH DUFFY SLATED TO MANAGE TORONTO

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Hugh Duffy is to succeed George Gibson as pilot of the Toronto baseball team, the latter returning to Pittsburgh as coach to pitchers.

WIND A FACTOR IN BRITISH GOLF PLAY

By WALTER C. HAGEN.
Open Golf Champion.

I read a very interesting article recently in the Canadian Golfer. One story proved absolutely conclusively about my chances or winning the British Open next Spring, at which time I had planned to pay a visit to dear old England. It also went into details of the visit of some American pros to England to take part in these championships, and gave as the reason for their failure that while that winds over there are a great deal more troublesome than they are in this country. I could not read the article very much and know full well that all that it contained was the truth. As I have never been across the Atlantic I can write nothing of my own from first hand and could not outline anything in the way of shots to defeat old Horeas. In other words, I am not going to cross any bridges till I come to them.

Golf is golf whether played in this country or any other, and although the conditions may be different in England, the player that masters himself to the conditions over there after a few weeks' practice had better stay home.

In the first place I am not going to England with the idea that I will bring home the British open championship without having to fight to the limit of my ability. I will go into that championship in the same way that I enter the open events in this country. If I am at the very top of my game and get my share of the breaks I will stand as good a chance as any one.

It is said that the field of contestants are, as a class, much superior to the entrants in our tournaments over here. There are many more of them and as a rule they are rated as better players, according to discussions that I hear every day in this country. I am not so sure that this is the case, but will be able to tell more about it after the next year.

The wind is the worst thing that a golfer has to fear on the seaside courses of England and Scotland. The turf over there is very much like ours and one would not have to fear poor lies. It should give one a world of confidence in getting up to the green, which is a very important thing in golf.

Braid plays a wonderful shot in the wind and Taylor has won most of his championships on courses over in and where the wind was blowing a gale. We do not get enough of the kind of golf over here and the American pro, as a rule, has little use for the "wind shot." It is not a difficult shot, however, and a player should perfect himself in this with a little practice. As

This Day in Our History—Dec. 8, 1919

THIS is the anniversary of the birth, in 1765, of Eli Whitney, inventor of the cotton gin. This machine removed the seeds from cotton, formerly laboriously picked out by hand, and made cotton growing a great industry. Whitney did not make a fortune commensurate with the importance of his invention.

Most of the Mischiefs That Vex the World Arise From Words

Magazine Page

The Head of the Zodiac

THE leader of the Zodiac, the constellation Aries, is on the meridian, not far south of the zenith, at 9 o'clock these evenings. Its brightest star is Hamal, in the head of the "Ram." Just north of it shines the little Triangle, and north of that the bright star Almaak, in the foot of Andromeda.

The Two Voices

By VIRGINIA TERHUNE VAN DE WATER

A New Romance of American Life With Hugh Rodney, Son of a Rich Manufacturer, as Hero

CHAPTER III.

MRS. COURTNEY was seated in her own room, reading an interesting novel. She did not look up as Ruth entered, but finished the paragraph on which she was intent.

Ruth was accustomed to her mother's absorption in novels. Mrs. Courtney had a romance-loving nature and reveled in light fiction.

So the girl waited now until her parent was ready to speak. And, as she waited, she looked thoughtfully at the calm face and delicate features of the reader.

Mrs. Courtney had been a widow for many years. She often said that she had never put on colors and never would. Soft grays and various shades of purple were not classed as "colors" and were most becoming to the wearer—suiting her calm face and silvery hair.

"What, my dear," she said at last, drawing a long breath as she looked up from her book, "did you want anything in particular? This," tapping the volume, "is certainly a fascinating story. I am sure you would enjoy it—or, if you would not, Doris would. She and I like about the same things, you know."

"Yes, I know," Ruth admitted gently. "What I came up to tell you, mother, is that Hugh Rodney is downstairs. He wants to see you."

Mrs. Courtney regarded her daughter with quickened interest.

"He wants to see me, you say, Ruth? Oh, my dear—it is—what does he?——"

She paused, as if expecting a reply to her unspoken question.

"I think," Ruth suggested, "that he would rather tell you himself, mother dear."

An eager light sprang to the matron's eyes. She loved her children—and Doris was her darling—yet what mother does not long to see her daughter happily married?

"I will go right down," she said, patting her soft gray hair with both hands and glancing hurriedly into her mirror. "Are you coming too, dear?"

Ruth Sits Alone

Ruth shook her head. "No, mother—it was you Hugh wanted to see—not me."

She doubted if the agitated parent heard her reply. Already she was on her way through the hall leading to the stairs.

Left alone, Ruth stood irresolutely. She picked up the book her mother had laid down and smiled as she saw the name of the author. He was a great favorite with Mrs. Courtney, who declared that she understood entirely why the sale of his books was phenomenal.

"He writes lovely stories—so sweet and wholesome—and yet so very interesting" she often said.

Ruth thought idly now that it was well this man was a prolific writer, for he afforded so much delight to a certain class of readers. For herself, she had tried to peruse one of his novels, but had been sadly bored by it. This proved, her mother had declared, that Ruth had no romance in her nature.

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STOMACH UPSET?

Get at the Real Cause—Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That's what thousands of stomach sufferers are doing now. Instead of taking tonics, or trying to patch up a poor digestion, they are attacking the real cause of the ailment—clogged liver and disordered bowels.

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Take one or two at bedtime for quick relief. Eat what you like. 10c and 25c.

How to Peel Off a Weatherbeaten Face

It's really a simple matter to renovate a face soiled by dirt, wind or cold. Ordinary mercolized wax, when used as a cream will transform the worst old complexion into one of youthful beauty and velvety softness. It literally peels off the outer veil of scarfskin, which is so gently, gradually, there's no discomfort. The wornout skin comes off, not in patches, but evenly, in tiny particles, leaving no evidence of the treatment itself. The younger, healthier underskin forming the new complexion is one of captivating loveliness. One ounce of mercolized wax, to be had at any drug store, is enough to remove any coarse, chapped, pimpled, freckled, faded or sallow skin. Apply before retiring, washing it off in the morning.—Advertisement.

The girl recalled this strictures now with a dull wonder that a parent should know her child so little.

Yet, the daughter was forced to admit she scarcely knew herself this evening. She had spoken the truth when she had said that she was glad for her sister's happiness. Then why did she have this vague feeling of depression, as if a bit of bad news had been imparted to her? Was it a warning of some impending disaster?

Sitting down in the chair her mother had just left, she tried to analyze her own feelings. She loved Doris. Everybody loved her, she reflected, remembering how tender was the tie between the mother and her elder child. Love was Doris's right. Then, why was her sister conscious of a sense of deprivation on learning that one more person had succumbed to the girl's charm?

Was she so selfish that she could not be happy in the prospect of her sister's marriage to a man who would love and cherish her?

No! Ruth was frank enough with herself to know that her depression was not caused by jealousy. Of course, it would be lonely in the home when Doris was gone, but that loneliness would be harder for the mother than for the sister. There was a much closer intimacy and mutual understanding between Mrs. Courtney and Doris than between the mother and her younger child.

A Bitter Truth

Ruth always had stood somewhat alone. She remembered she had confessed this once to Hugh Rodney. He had seemed to comprehend, now that his own mother was dead. He had said that Laura was much dearer to her father than he was, fond as the older Rodney was of his son. He had added that fathers always loved their daughters better than their sons. He knew his father was proud of him and depended upon him, but Laura was his darling. Yes, Hugh had understood Ruth's loneliness.

Perhaps that was why Ruth had been able to talk herself out so frankly to Hugh on this subject of the slight barrier between her parent and herself. He understood so well—indeed, he always understood her moods.

And at the thought a swift pang smote her. He had been such a satisfactory friend to both her and Doris. Now she, Ruth, would not feel at liberty to confide her little troubles to him any more. She would not have the right to do so.

Yet, she reminded herself, she might talk to Hugh as freely as in times past. He would be her brother-in-law, therefore closer to her than ever.

But she shook her head decidedly.

"I cannot do it," she muttered. "That is over forever. And the sooner I appreciate that truth the better."

To Be Continued.

Anecdotes of the Famous

The famous mathematician and physicist, M. Ampere, was extremely absent-minded, and it is told of him that in September, 1806, he read a learned paper on his researches before the Academy of Sciences in Paris. When he had finished his lecture and was about to take his seat, he found, to his surprise, that it was occupied. Greatly agitated, he went to Geoffroy Saint-Hilaire, the President of the Academy, and said:

"Mr. President, I must call your attention to the fact that anyone who is not a member of this body has entered the chamber and taken my seat."

The President replied calmly:

"You are mistaken, my learned brother; the person whom you see in mind is, like ourselves, a Fellow of the Academy of Sciences."

"How long, I should like to ask?" said Ampere.

"Since Nivose of the year VI.," said the President, who was now uttering into the humor of the situation.

"And in what class?" inquired the suspicious Ampere.

"In the class of mechanical engineering, my friend," answered Saint Hilaire, laughing.

"Well, that is odd!" cried Ampere. And, seizing a calendar of the Academy, he opened it at the date Saint-Hilaire had mentioned, and read, "Napoleon Bonaparte, Fellow of the Academy of Sciences, chosen in Nivose of the year VI."

Much disturbed, Ampere made all sorts of apologies, and explained that he had not recognized the Emperor on account of his poor eyesight.

"You see what happens," said Napoleon, "when you don't get round to meet your fellow-members. I have never seen you at the Tuileries. But now I shall command you to come and see me, tomorrow at seven o'clock you will dine with me."

The next evening the Emperor waited two hours for Ampere, but he had long before that forgotten the invitation.

The Wicked Marquis

By E. Phillips Oppenheim

"DAMN it," he exclaimed, "can't you talk of this like a man! Don't you care enough for Marcia to think a little of her happiness? I want you to be glad—to let her believe, whether it is the truth or not, that she is not, as she seems to think, necessary to your life. Come! Life has its sacrifices as well as its compensations. You've had the best part of a wonderful woman's life. I am not saying a word about the conditions which exist between you. I don't presume. If I did, I should have to remember that Marcia speaks always of your treatment of her with tears of gratitude in her eyes.

"There can't be a great sympathy between you," the other declared, "and, to be brutal, the place in life which she deserves, and to which she aspires, is not open to her under present conditions."

"You allude, I presume," the Marquis said, "to the absence of any legal tie between Miss Hannaway and myself?"

"I do," Borden assented. "The world is a broad-minded place enough, but there are differences and backwaters—I am not here to explain them to you. I don't need to. Marcia Hannaway, married to her publisher, going where she will, thinking how she will, meeting whom she will, would be a different person to Miss Marcia Hannaway, living in isolation in Battersea, with nothing warm nor human in her life except——"

"Precisely," the Marquis interrupted, with a little gesture which might have concluded—anything. "I am beginning to grasp your point of view, Mr. Borden."

Had No Answer

"And your answer?"

"I have no answer to give you, sir. You have made certain suggestions, which I may or may not be prepared to accept. In any case, matters of so much importance scarcely lend themselves to decisions between strangers. I shall probably allude to what you have said when I see or write Miss Hannaway."

"You've nothing more to say to me about it, then?" Borden persisted, a little wistfully.

"Nothing whatever! You may possibly consider my attitude selfish," the Marquis added, "but I find myself wholly indifferent to your interests in this matter."

CHAPTER XXVIII.

THE MARQUIS, if he had been a keen physiognomist, might perhaps have read all that he had come to London to know in Marcia's expression as he made his unexpected entrance into her sitting room on the following day. She was seated at her desk, with a great pile of red roses on one side of her, and a secretary, to whom she was dictating, on the other. She swung round in her chair and for a moment was speechless. She rose at last, however, hurriedly, a little helplessly, with some traces of an emotion which puzzled him. Her greeting, however, was hearty enough. She sprang to her feet and held out both her hands.

"My dear man, how unlike you! Really, I think that I like surprises. Give me both your hands—so! Let me look at you."

"I should have warned you of my coming," he said, raising the ink-stained fingers which he was clasping to his lips, "but to tell the truth, I was a bit afraid."

"I thought you were in the country, at Mandeleys!" she exclaimed.

"I was," he replied. "I have motored up from there this morning. I came to see you."

She dismissed her secretary, seated herself in the glass and made a gesture.

"And a nice sight I look! Never mind. Fancy motoring up from Mandeleys! What time did you start?"

"At 6 o'clock," he answered, with a little smile. "It was somewhat before my regular hour for rising. If you have no other arrangements, I should be glad if you would take luncheon with me."

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'Let Not Thy Left Hand Know'—

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THE MIRACLE OF LOVE

By COSMO HAMILTON

See It in Motion Pictures

"The Miracle of Love" in motion pictures, a Cosmopolitan production, screened under the direction of Robert Z. Leonard, is being shown at leading theatres of the country. Scenario by Adrian Johnson and Leon d'Usseau. Presented by Famous Players-Lasky Corporation as a Paramount-Artcraft picture.

HE held her tenderly and warmly to his broad chest, in silence.

And back to his ears came the soft song with simple words about God and angels that she had sung so often to him when the sun had set and birds were putting their young to sleep under the eaves, and which he never heard now without tears wetting his heart.

Had he been a little thoughtless when he had needed her devoted hand no longer? Had he seemed unkind and ungrateful when he took his holidays as a schoolboy away from her side? Had he inflicted wounds upon her body by his long and frequent absences from home which were not necessary and were merely to gratify his wanderlust? Would she take with her to the grave many regrets that he had thoughtlessly and selfishly built up? . . .

He put his head down on her shoulder for a moment, as he had done when he was a child, and when he whispered the old fond words, "Mother, my darling mother," into her ear and saw the blood flood her face and the tears glorify her eyes, he knew better than he knew anything in life, that there would be gratitude in her prayers that night and a smile on her face as she slept.

Secretly Excited

Albert Edward Creston and his tight, hard, black-headed wife, who looked as though she had been forced into her clothes, as toothpaste is forced into a tube, were secretly exhilarated and excited at the sight which met them as they drove up to the house before the ceremony.

They found themselves in a long line of large automobiles, among which, with resentful nostrils, were several glossy pairs with black, working knees. The county had come to see the marriage of the Duke to their girl, who would be within an hour, "my daughter, the Duchess of Cheshire, you know!"

The shy, level-headed, hard-boiled Mr. Creston of the world-famous Crestonia Linoleum, a boon to all, according to enormous advertisements that made blots upon the country through which every railway company in the kingdom sends its trains, possessed no humor, not a vestige.

It was as well, because if he had, he could not have believed more firmly than he believed anything else in life that his hideous linoleum was a boon to all, and so the stuff would have lacked, heart and push. If he had he could not be a pillar of the Radical Party, have sat back in his two-thousand guinea car and congratulated himself on his latest investment.

This is what he called the large sum of money that he had made over to his daughter on her engagement to one of the men born to sit in that house against which he had tub-thumped since youth.

Notwithstanding the fact that he had been given the Christian names of the late King Edward by a loyal and emotional mother, Creston had inherited Radicalism as some men inherit bronchitis. It was a disease. It is always a disease, and renders those unfortunate creatures who suffer from it impleasant to the senses and a nuisance to the land.

Like all Radicals, his one overwhelming ambition was to be a wealthy man and live in a house built by himself on land of his own—an ugly, blatant, gabled house, with pillars, and lions rampant, and rhododendrons in a stiff garden laid out in card-back patterns.

This achieved, on the linoleum that he invented himself, his one natural Radical ambition was to be a member of Parliament, where he might, when permitted, harangue on empty house on the iniquities of wealth and the possession of land and titles, and, eventually, by supplying the party with election funds, rise Sir Albert Crestor, Knight.

All the ambitions by every known Radical effort and trick, had been achieved, except the one which necessitated the wearing of black velvet and silver buckles and receiving the royal tap upon his shoulder. The last was, however, inevitable. His second large client had recently been indorsed by the Chief Radical Whip. Everything that Creston had done was Radical and understanding and to the type—except one.

This was his daughter Edith. How such a man, married to such a wife, born and brought up in an atmosphere of linoleum and the portrait of Gladstone, of smug pharisaicalism and business sharpness, came to be the father of this very nice little girl is one of those things that no fellow can understand. Conceive a dainty opera being composed on a harmonium, or a party of light-hearted Irish people going to kiss the Blarney stone in a hearse!

Lady Emily

George's mother, wearing mauve for the day, received them in the hall and being, as she had always been, extremely frightened by their bold, pillar-like, lion-rampant appearance, passed them on as quickly as she could to the little gray woman. In a tailor-made dress, with men's pockets and a white linen collar and red tie, Lady Emily was able to tackle not merely the Crestons, but the whole of the Radical party with supreme ease.

She revelled in the Crestons, and no wonder! Her sarcasms that they seemed to be compliments and congratulations. To Clive, whose sense of humor was also at zenith—fortnightly dose, the most exquisitely funny thing of that funny day was when Lady Emily addressed the super-Radical as Lord Creston is a beautifully simulated moment of mental aberration and with a huge wink at her neighbor. From that moment she held the Crestons in the palm of her hand and won a promise from her nephew's father-in-law of all the linoleum that was needed to cover the floors of the shop-girls' club in Sumptermead. He had never given a square foot of the stuff away before.

"For," he said, a supremely honest hard-working, utterly mistaken hunk-like man, with legs so bandy that they seemed to be deformed, drove up in a fly, wearing a comic tall hat and his imposing chain of office. His wife, a woman whose intuition and humor made her an object of suspicion in her set, suggested that this chain would be just as well if that were found her husband's neck. The answer was characteristic of the best provincialism. "What! You're mad, Maud! How's anybody to know what I am unless I show 'em!" Had she known that in addition to the chain round his neck his worship had put the notes of a speech in his pocket that would take an hour to deliver, she would have developed a sudden attack of neuralgia that would have necessitated immediate medical treatment and a darkened room.

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To Be Continued Tomorrow.

Increasing Divorces

By Beatrice Fairfax

A BULLETIN of the Federal Census Department reveals the fact that more than 10 per cent. of the marriages in this country end in divorce. And that the number and proportion of divorces have been steadily increasing for the past thirty years.

Since 1906 the number of divorces has increased in every State of the Union except Colorado, Maine, South Dakota and West Virginia. These States are sufficiently far apart, geographically speaking, to eliminate the question of climate, food and laws as factors in the conservation of family life.

The only conclusion one might draw from these four banner States, domestically speaking, is that each has a large agricultural population and that people who live on farms are too busy to squabble. But as the argument falls in regard to other States with equally large farming communities, we are driven to believe that these four happy valleys are entirely a matter of chance.

Against the Husbands

The detailed statistics of 103,702 decrees granted in 1916 indicate that 31.1 per cent. were granted to the husband and 74.5 per cent. to the wife. Desertion and non-support, which are the commonest cause of breaking the marriage tie, leads the department officials to suggest that it is due to the fact that the husbands appear as the chief sinners.

The question of infidelity and the divorces granted for this cause afford food for thought. More men were granted divorces for unfaithfulness on the part of their wives than vice versa. Of the 15,486 decrees granted for this cause, 8.85% were for infidelity on the part of the wife and 8.65% on the part of the husband.

Desertion is the most fruitful source of divorce in the United States, being the cause of about one-third of all the decrees. This charge may mean incompatibility, shiftlessness, non-support and a whole catagory of human failings. The irresponsible partner has a way of side-stepping his matrimonial blunder. He prefers to "fade away" rather than to stand and face the music, that enables the survivor to sue on a charge of desertion.

Many people are under the impression that alimony is peculiarly a perquisite of the wife—a glance at the State of Wisconsin disproves this fallacy. In 1916 25.1 per cent. of the Wisconsin decrees gave the husband a preferred position as to alimony.

Desertion and Divorce

The significant fact is that divorce is on the increase in the United States. One marriage out of every ten goes on the rocks, and yet the cry is for easier divorce laws. It would seem as the life of a nation is made up of its collective home life, and one cannot survive without the other, that our spreading up the divorce mill will bear looking into.

The great patrons of the divorce courts are the rich—or at least the well-to-do—since legal separation is a luxury well nigh out of reach of the poor. Nor do the poor seek relief from the courts as often as the well-to-do or the rich; they are too busy trying to keep alive to consider seriously the trivial causes of disagreement of their more prosperous neighbors.

A lack of the home-making qualities on the part of the girls of this generation is another fruitful cause of divorce. Would it not be well if our public schools concerned themselves with this problem seriously? Initial attempts have been made in this direction, but they have not gone nearly far enough. A thorough course in domestic science ought to be given to every future wife and mother in the interests of better and more stable American homes.

Mother! Teach the Children Their Daily Health Duty

You can't be too insistent!

FEW children find pleasure in the things most vital to their physical comfort and health, so it rests with the watchful mother to see that they are done. The child will be grateful in after years.

Chief among the functions necessary to the upbuilding of the little body, so that it will not be a dyspeptic, constipated body when it matures, is elimination regularly every morning. If the mother will be insistent and allow nothing to interfere with it, it will soon become a habit, a daily routine that will not be forgotten throughout life.

There are times, however, when nature will not operate, unaided. Then give Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin, and the headaches, the biliousness, the torpor will quickly disappear. It acts gently and without griping, and as it contains no narcotics and is pleasant to the taste, it may be given to infants. Thousands of families have been assisted to healthy maturity with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.

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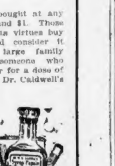

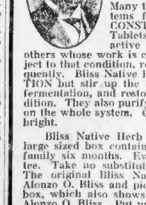

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Mrs. Lamarre wrote the following to Dr. J. F. True & Co., Props. of the celebrated Worm Expellers. She never had any flu in her family, but feared it was coming.

"Symptoms of worms: Constipation, decreased appetite, pain in the region of the stomach, offensive breath hard and full belly, with occasional griping and sensation about the navel, pale face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching, nestling itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points wrecking out on the tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

"Dr. True's Elixir has been faithful in its duties as a family Laxative and Worm Expeller since 1851—over 65 years reputation. Everyone can improve their health by simply looking after the bowels—a sure, safe laxative, which Dr. True's Elixir is, will promptly relieve all worry and disorders. AT ALL DEALERS.

KRAZY KAT

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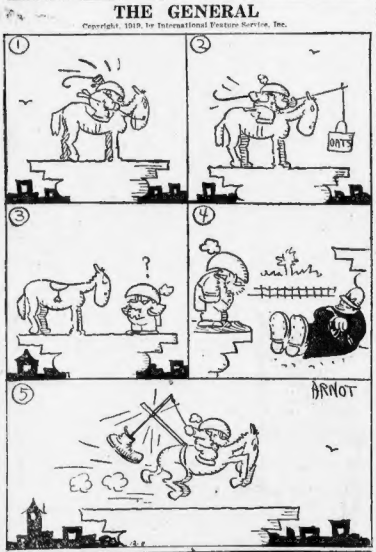

Kabibble Kabaret

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PEDRO, MR. KABIBBLE, AN ACTOR HAS PROPOSED TO ME - DO THEY MAKE GOOD MONEY?

YES - SOME WEEKS THEY MAKE $25,000 A YEAR!

BRINGING UP FATHER

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By George McManus

WELL - HOW'S THAT FER A SPREAD OF CORNED BEEF AN CABBAGE - DUGAN PUT IT UP FOR ME -
PULL UP A CHAIR - WE CAN ENJOY OUR SELVES WHILE ME WIFE IS OUT -
WHAT'S THAT NOISE?
BY GOLLY - IT MUST BE ME WIFE
IF SHE SEES THIS CORNED BEEF AN' CABBAGE - SHE'LL KILL US!
DON'T WORRY - SHE'S NOT GONNA SEE IT OR US -
STEADY OLD BOY!
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JERRY ON THE JOB

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Might Put the Engine in the Middle

HEY - WHICH END O' THE TRAIN DOES THE BOSS WANT THE ENGINE ON - FRONT OR REAR?
GOSH - HOW DO I KNOW? I'LL HAFTA ASK HIM.
IT WOULD BE A GREAT THING IF I COULD GUESS WHICH END THE LOCOMOTIVE GOES ON - ID. LOOK LIKE A SMART GUY.
UH - I SUPPOSE THE ENGINE GOES ON THE REAR END OF THE 5.15 - EH?
WILD SWING
MIGOSH NO!
GREAT HEAVENS! WILL YOU EVER LEARN TO USE YOUR NUT? - SUCH A SAP! SUCH A BONEHEAD! SUCH A MUG!! =-*@$%!
GEE - DON'T BAWL ME OUT YET -
GIVE ME ONE MORE GUESS.

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ABIE THE AGENT

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Now It's Even Stephen

I FEEL LIKE READING TODAY, TOO — FROM WHO CAN BE THIS TYPEWRITTED LETTER?
- AND FURTHER MORE, MR. KABIBBLE, I WILL NOT ASK YOU FOR MY $35 AGAIN! I'LL GO FOR YOU IN COURT! I'LL STAND NO NONSENSE! YOURS TRULY MAURY PAUL
DICTATED BUT NOT READ
"DICTATED BUT NOT READ" A NEW THING TO SAY IN A LETTER!
MOLLY, SEND THIS LETTER RIGHT BECK TO MAURY PAUL
opened but not read

POLLY AND HER PALS

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Anyone Could Have Guessed This About Delicia

IF YOU WERE A REGULAR MIND-READER, ASHUR, IT WOULDN'T TAKE YOU ALL THIS TIME TO TELL US WHAT DELICIA'S THINKING ABOUT!
THEY'S SOMETHIN' WRONG SOMEPLACE I CAN'T READ NUTHIN'!!
BAH!
MARVELOUS!
WHADDYE MEAN, MARVELOUS? THE POOR NUT ADMITS HE COULDN'T READ NUTHIN'!
THAT'S JESS WOT MAKES IT SO MARVELOUS!
- I WAS THINKIN' ABOUT NUTHIN' WITH ALL MY MIGHT!

BOOBY HATCH

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Not a Chance, Not a Chance

I'M EXPECTING A TELEGRAM FOR ME - PLEASE SEND IT UP TO MY ROOM AS SOON AS IT COMES
YES SIR -
HEY HATCH! - FRONT! RUSH THIS TELEGRAM UP TO ROOM SEVEN!
COMIN'
TELEGRAM FOR YOU MR. BESSIC
I'M NOT DRESSED - SHOVE IT UNDER THE DOOR!
I CAN'T ITS ON A TRAY!

HON AND DEARIE

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Yes—But Where's That Hundred?

I'LL GET DEARIE'S MOTHER A SUGAR BOWL - AND HER DAD A SWELL PIPE - AND -
AT LAST HE'S MAKING OUT HIS XMAS LIST
- CALAMITY JANE A COPY OF POES WORKS - HATTIE A HAT - GRANDPOP A SAFETY RAZOR - LIL' WILLIE A BANK LIL' ANGEL A DOLL - BLUBBER A HIGH HAT - AND ETC., ETC.
GOSH! THAT WILL STAND ME A HUNDRED DOLLARS EASY - AND I HAVEN'T FIGURED OUT WHAT TO GIVE DEARIE.
S'NO USE - I'LL HAVE TO MAKE OUT A NEW LIST - THIS ONE IS OUT.
DEARIE - SOMETHING WORTH $100.00 - A XMAS CARD
JANE
HATTIE
GRANDPOP
LIL' WILLIE
LIL' ANGEL
COMEDIAN
BLUBBER
STUFF
MEN'S FURNISHINGS
GEO. LUKE

Stocks Strong in New York and Boston; Rubbers and Steels Are Leaders; Sterling Advances

BIG CORPORATIONS FEEDING EMPLOYES

It is becoming the custom for big industrial corporations to feed their employes by contracting with restaurant companies for commissary service. The Waldorf System, Inc., has arranged to install and operate factory restaurants for the New York Shipbuilding Company, W. H. McIlwain Co., Benton Falls Rubber Company, Jessica Spinning Company, Castle Kid Company, Carpenter Steel Company, Acme Wire Company and Revere Rubber Company.

Rice & Hutchins have arranged for the operation of a restaurant to be installed in a new and specially designed building.

Brokers' Loans in New York

Wall street brokers' loans were estimated to total about $1,250,000,000 last week. They amounted to the most in July, when the aggregate approximated $1,750,000,000. The reduction is due to stock market liquidation.

THE TEN PAYMENT PLAN

Buy an Income Month by Month

Buying at the Bottom

Now is the time, with stocks selling considerably below their recent high point, for the small investor to study more closely than ever general market conditions, with a view to picking up those securities that through technical circumstances alone are carried well under their real values.

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Boston Curb

Opening prices on the Boston Curb today were:

	Saturday's close.	Today's opening.
Allenby	40½	40½
Ajax	40c	42c
Arizona Silver	17c	18c
Black Hawk	80c	85c
Bonanza Develop.	25c	25c
Divide Ext	1	1
Eureka	2	2
Goldfield	23c	23c
Hecla Dev	19c	19c
Hendee	40	40½
Imperial	22c	22c
Midway Mines	72c	70c
Mutual Inv	14c	14c
Okla-Boston Oil	18c	18c
Palisade	12c	12c
Pilgrim	2¼	1¾
Premier	89c	89c
Seven Metals	31c	32c
Silver Reef	40c	40c
Simon Petrol	57½	57½
Tonopah Mines	48c	48c
Verde Mines	42c	40c
White Oil	42½	42½

New Corporations

Concerns recently granted Massachusetts charters include the following: New England Auto Top Corporation, Boston, capital $500,000; Mohawk Trail Hotel, Springfield, $100,000; Market Warehouse Co., Boston, $250,000; Martin Machine Co., Montague, $100,000; E. T. Redmond & Co., real estate, Boston, $100,000.

More Cigarettes Smoked

Cigarette smoking is increasing in this country. Last 4,106,750,000 more were smoked in the year ended with June than in the preceding twelve months. The total number of cigarettes sold in the last fiscal year was 35,075,946,155.

Zinc Mine Production

During November production by Butte and Superior mines was 7,000,000 pounds of zinc in concentrates and 200,000 ounces in silver. It was the best showing for any time since October last year.

Dividends Declarations

Besides the quarterly dividend of 2 per cent, the Standard Oil Co. declared an extra dividend of 2 per cent.

Punta Alegre Sugar declared extra dividend of 10 per cent, in addition to a quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on stock and regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent, on preferred, all payable January 1, to stock of record December 15.

Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co. of Canada declared usual quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent., payable January 2 on stock of record December 10.

Georgia Power Co. of Georgia declared a semi-annual dividend of $3 per share on preferred stock, payable January 2 on stock of record December 15.

P. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. declared quarterly dividends of 3 per cent. on the A and B common stocks and of 1¾ per cent. on preferred stock, all payable January 1 to holders of record December 20.

Rhinelan Pulp & Paper Co. declared quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on preferred stock, payable Dec. 31 on stock of record December 24.

PRICES HIGHER ON BOSTON EXCHANGE

Curb Market Has a Weak Start, but Trading Is Active

Strength characterized the Boston market at the opening and all the morning. Trading in temporary certificates for 66,000 shares of Shawmut Steamship common began on the Boston Stock Exchange, this issue having been taken from the Boston Curb to the senior bourse. It closed on the Curb on Saturday at 21½ and opened on the Exchange at 25.

Among strongest issues during the forenoon were Almeek, Old Dominion, Quincy, United Fruit, Pond Creek, Boston Elevated, Punta Alegre, Carson Hill, Agricultural Chemical, Elder, Parish and Bingham. Eastern Steamship common, Swift & Co. and Edison. They were up from two points at their best.

Punta Alegre and Eastern Steamship common sold at record highest prices, while Carson Hill sold at its previous high. Coppers had a better tone, but were not active.

Massachusetts Gas was a first hour feature, declining three points to 68. Other weak issues were American Telephone, Boston & Maine, Eastern Manufacturing and Root and Van Der Voort. They were fractionally lower.

Active issues were Carson Hill, Elder, United Shoe, Eastern Steamship and Eastern Manufacturing.

CURB WEAK AND ACTIVE.

At the opening prices on the Boston Curb ruled lower and the market was weak during the first hour, but was fairly active. The features during the first hour were Mutual Divide and Verde Mines. Mutual opened with 8 gain at 14½, and ranged between 13¾ and 13¾ before 11 o'clock. Verde Mines declined 3 cents to 40 cents, and later sold at 34, before rallying to 35. Imperial and Boston and Montana were firm. Hendee began with a half-point gain.

Among issues to decline were Pilgrim, Pioneer, Silver Reef, Gulfport and Midway Mose.

AM. TOBACCO MAKES BIG GAIN

Rails Are Heavy, Motors Lower and Coppers Improve

By W. H. ROSS,
Financial Editor.

Stocks were strong in New York at noon, but as a whole were a little below the highest for the morning. Largest gains were by American Tobacco, which was up nearly ten points, and Cuban-American Sugar, which advanced almost six. Neither was an active issue, however. Strongest grounds were steels and sugars. Coppers and shipping shares improved in the second hour when motors weakened. Rails were heavy. Equipments were strong, but Baldwin was the only active one to show. Cuba Cane Sugar sold at its year's highest.

The market was brisk, transactions during the morning exceeding 500,000 shares.

Call money opened at 6 per cent. in the foreign exchange market, started demand began with an advance of ¼ cents at 13.35⅝, while cables were quoted at $4.36½.

BEGIN WEEK WITH ADVANCE.

Stocks began the week by advancing, gains running through the list and varying from fractions to several points. The public sent in some orders to buy over Monday's holiday, encouraged by the steadiness of the market at the end of the week, and covering of shorts was another influence. In regard to the strength of securities when railroads are curtailing train service and industries are being hampered by fuel shortage, it may be said relief prevails in financial districts that the coal strike will be settled soon. Among strongest stocks during the first hour were Republic, General Motors, Mexican Petroleum, Texas Co., Cuba Cane Sugar, Punta Alegre, Corn Products, Baldwin, Republic Steel and Pan American. At their highest they were up from two to almost four points. The market was active from the start and grew stronger after the opening.

MONEY SITUATION EASIER.

Tension has relaxed in the money market and this is largely due to the funds sent to Wall street from the West recently. The reduction of brokerage loans by about half a billion dollars within the months has altered conditions greatly. The foreign exchange situation is showing no sign of improvement as yet, and business interests most interested in foreign trade have ceased to expect much, if any, assistance from Washington. They evidently must depend upon themselves in providing ways and means of financing export trade, which means in the main providing credits which will enable foreigners to buy in American markets. According to reports from England, British manufacturers are finding it difficult to supply home demands for all kinds of products. France is struggling back to industrial efficiency very slowly, Germany is in a more or less chaotic condition and, in fact, no country is as well equipped at present by competition from the outside. It is likely to be several years before trade and industries get to what may be called a settled basis, and they will never be conducted as they were before the great war.

$15,000 in Steffens Estate

The will of Mrs. Marie Steffens of Malden has been allowed. Casper Steffens, her husband, has been appointed executor. The estate is valued at $15,000.

Werner Estate Inventoried

An inventory of the estate of Mrs. Esther F. Werner of Cambridge has been filed. The estate is valued at $11,259.52.

Farmer Estate $90,138.77

An inventory of the estate of Josephine E. Farmer of Waltham has been filed. The estate is valued at $90,138.77.

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Boston Stocks

Prices on the Boston Stock Exchange from the opening until 12:15 p. m. had the following ranges:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Almeek	72	72	72	72
Am Ag Chem	92¾	92¾	92½	92¾
Am Oil & Eng Co	6	6	6	6
Am Sugar	140¾	140¾	140¾	140¾
Am Sugar pf	116¾	117½	116¾	117½
Am Tob pf	99½	99½	99½	99½
Am Woolen pf	103½	103½	103½	103½
Arizona Com	13	13	13	13
Arnold Mining	50	50	50	50
B M J pf (A	51	51	51	51
B M J pf (B	100	100	100	100
Big Heart Min	7¾	8¼	7¾	8¼
Boston & Albany	123	123	123½	123½
Boston & Maine	34	33½	34	33½
Boston Elevated	64½	66¾	66½	66
Boston Suburban	45	45	45	45
Boston Suburban pf	4	4	4	4
Cal & Arizona	61	61	61	61
Cal & Hecla	38	380	380	380
Carson Hal Min	28½	28	26¾	28
Carson Hill Notes	102½	103½	102½	103½
Century Steel	6	6¼	6	6¼
Copper Range	44½	45	44½	45
Cuba Cane Sugar	24½	24½	24½	24½
Davis-Daly	11½	11½	11½	11½
East Boston Land	3	3	3	3
East Butte	14	14	14	14
East Mid Co	32½	33	32½	32½
East Steamship	22	23	22	23
East Steam pf	71	74	74	74
Edison Corp	48½	48½	35½	36
Edison Electric	146	148	146	148
Franklin Mining	4	4	4	4
Gray & Davis	48½	48½	48½	48½
Helvetia	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼
Int Certain Mills	63	63	62	63
Int Cotton Mills pf	95	95	95	95
Int Port Cement	4	4	4	4
Int Port Cement pf	26	26	26½	26½
Island Creek	45	45	45	45
Island Oil	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Kerr Lake	3¾	4	3¾	4
Lake Copper	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
Libby McNeill	30½	31	30½	31
Maine Central	68	68	68	68
Mass Gas	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Mass Gas pf	72½	73½	72½	73½
Maxwell Motor	8	8	8	8
Maxwell Motor pf	68	68	68	68
Mergenthaler	138	138	138	138
Mex Invest Co	51	51	51	51
Mex Invest Co pf	25	25	25	25
Mexican Petrol	277½	278	274	278
Nat Leather	18¾	18¾	18	18¾
New Haven R.R	20	20	20	20
New River pf	82	82	82	82
North Butte	15½	15½	15½	15½
Old Dom Cop	35	35½	35	35½
Parish Bing Corp	44	44	44	44
Pond Creek Coal	25	25	25	25
Pullman Co	115½	115½	115½	115½
Punta Sugar	98	98½	98	97½
Quincy	90	90	89	90
Root Van Devoort	63	63½	63½	63½
Seneca Copper	16	15½	15½	15½
Shannon Copper	7	7	7	7
Shaw Mag Corp	18	18	18	18
Shaw Steam Co	35	35½	35	34¾
Stewart Mfg Co	50	50½	50	50
Swift & Co	98	98	98	98
Swift & Co	137	137½	136	136½
Torrington	72	72	72	72
Tuolumne	90	90	90	90c
United Drug	139½	139½	139½	139½
United Drug 1st pf	82½	82½	82½	82½
United Fruit	104	104	104	104
U Shoe Machine	50½	50½	50½	50½
U S Smelting pf	48½	49	48½	49
U S Steel	105½	105½	105½	105½
Utah Cons	8	8	8	8
Utah Metals	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
Ventura Oil	16¾	16¾	16½	16¾
Waldorf Astor	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼
Waltham Watch	33¾	34	33¾	34
Walworth	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
W E R R	40	40	40	40
W E R R pf	51	51	51	51
W. H. McIlwain	96	96	96	96

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Liberty 3½s	99.44	99.44	99.44	99.44
1st 4s 1932-47	93.84	93.84	93.84	93.84
2nd 4s 1927-42	91.84	91.84	91.84	91.84
2nd 4¼s 1927-42	92.10	92.10	92.10	92.10
3rd 4¼s 1928	94.14	94.14	94.14	94.14
4th 4¼s 1938	92.14	92.14	92.14	92.14
Victory Notes 4½s	99.84	99.18	98.84	99.18

BONDS.

Am Ar Chem 5s	82¾	82¾	82¾	82¾
C B Q joint 4s	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾

White Oil Pipe Line

The 225 eight-inch pipe line which is being constructed in Texas by the J. G. White Engineering Corporation for the White Oil Corporation will have a 20,000-barrel daily capacity and preliminary estimates figure its cost at $3,000,000. It will extend from Houston to Ranger, Desdemona and other adjacent oil fields. The pumping stations will be at intervals of forty miles, each equipped with three pumps capable of capacity service and a third for reserve in case of breakdown. At each pump station will be two storage tanks of 37,500 barrels each.

Cotton Market Opening

New York, Dec. 8.—The cotton market opened strong today with first prices 15 to 40 points higher. Trading was influenced by ginning figures, which fell short of expectations, prospects of an early settlement of the coal strike and unfavorable weather report. At the end of 20 minutes the market was active and about 55 points higher. Opening prices were: December, 39.60; January, 37.00; March, 34.40; May, 32.20; July, 30.75; October, 28.50.

Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, Dec. 8.—Corn opened 8c to 9c higher. Oats were 1c to 2c higher. Provisions opened lower. Opening prices: Corn—December, 1.40; May, 1.34½; July, 1.32½. Oats—December, 77¼; May, 80; July, 76¾. Lard—January, 23.05. Ribs—January, 18.65.

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Petition to the Legislature to Grant Boston School Teachers $600 Salary Increase

Sign this petition and get your friends to sign it.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of Massachusetts:

The undersigned, believing that the demand of the school teachers of Boston for a salary increase of $600 per year is justified, respectfully petition you to enact at the earliest possible time legislation which will permit the city of Boston to grant their demand.

Name_____ Address_____

Name_____ Address_____

Name_____ Address_____

If you believe that Boston school teachers are entitled to the salary increase which they ask, sign the above, get your friends to sign it and send it to the Petition Editor, Boston American, 80 Summer street, Boston, Mass.

The editor of the Boston American will see that the petition is presented to the Legislature for action.

NEW YORK STOCKS

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange from the opening until 12:15 o'clock had the following range:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Adv. Rumley	44½	45½	44½	45½
Alas Rub	87	89¾	87	89¾
Alaska	25¾	25¾	24¾	24¾
Allis-Chalmers	44¾	44¾	43¾	43¾
Al Jun	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
Am Beet Sug	67	67	67	67
Am Bosch Mag	124	124	124	124
Am Can	58¾	59¾	58	59¾
Am Car pf	102	102	102	102
Am Car & Fdry	138	141¾	136	139½
Am Cot Oil	39¾	41	39¾	40¾
Am Drug Syn	12	13¾	12	13¾
Am Express	93½	93½	93½	93½
Am Hide & Leather	29¾	30	29¾	29¾
Am Ice Sec	121	121½	120½	120½
Am Int Corp	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾
Am Linseed	109½	110¼	109½	110¼
Am Linseed Oil	81¾	81¾	79¾	79¾
Am Locomotive	97¾	97¾	96¾	96¾
Am Ship & Com	31¾	32¾	31¾	32¾
Am Smelt & Ref	65¾	66	65¾	66
Am Steel Fdry	43	43¾	42¾	43¾
Am Sug Refinery	141	140	141	140
Am Sumatra Tob	92	93½	92	93½
Am Tel & Tel	99½	99½	99½	99½
Am Tob pf	99½	99½	99½	99½
Am Woolen	270	274½	270	274½
Am Woolen pf	127	127½	127	127½
Am Woolen pf	103	103	103	103
Am Writing Paper	25	25½	24¾	25½
Am Zinc	14½	16¾	14½	16¾
Anaconda	59¾	60¾	59¾	60¾
Ann Dry Goods	37	37	37	37
Atchison	85¾	86	85¾	85¾
Atlantic Coast Line	86	86½	86	86½
Atlantic Gulf	175½	177	175½	177
Auto Sales	27¾	28¾	27	28¾
Baldwin Loco	108½	109¾	107½	109¾
Balt & Ohio	33¾	33¾	33	33
Balt & Ohio pf	41½	41½	41½	41½
Barrett	124¼	124¼	124	124¼
Beth Steel Corp	52½	53½	52½	53½
Beth Steel	89¾	90¾	89¾	90¾
Beth Steel B	94¾	96¾	94¾	94¾
Beth Steel pf	113¾	114	113¾	114
Booth Fisheries	13¾	14¾	14	14¾
Brooklyn R T	16	16¼	15¾	16
Brooklyn Union Gas	52	52	51¾	52
Butte Copper	9	9¼	9	9¼
Butte & Superior	24½	24¾	24½	24¾
Cadillo Oil	22¾	22¾	22¼	22¼
Cal Packing	78	78	78	78
Cal Petrol	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
Canadian	139¾	139¾	139¾	139
Cal Petrol pf	65¾	66¾	65¾	66¾
Cero de Pasco	56¾	56¾	56	56¾
Chandler	129	130	129	129
Ches & Ohio	52¾	52¾	52¾	52¾
Chic & N W	89½	90	89½	89½
Chic G W	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Chic Gt W pf	23¾	23¾	23	23¾
Chic M &	25¾	25¾	25	25¾
Chic R I &	27½	28	27½	28
Chino	37	37	36½	36½
Chino Cons	39	39	39	39
Col Fuel	49	49¾	49¾	49¾
Columbia Gras	70	71¾	70	70¾
Colo & Sou	73½	73½	73½	73½
Con Inter Cal	18½	19¾	18½	19¾
Continental Can	102	102½	102	102½
Con Gas	135½	135½	135½	135½
Cons Prod	86¾	87¾	85¾	86¾
Corn Products	98	98	97½	98
Crucible Steel pf	99	99	99	99
Cuba Cane Sug	40½	40½	40½	40½
Cuba Cane Sug pf	85¾	88¾	85¾	85¾
Del & Hudson	98½	98¾	98½	98¾
Denver & R G pf	14½	14½	14½	14½
Denver Mines	13½	13½	13½	13½
Elkhorn	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
End-rott Johnson	142	142	142	142
Erie	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
Erie 1st pf	21	21	21	21¼
Fairbanks Co	83	83	83	83
Fairbanks Morse	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾
Fisk Rubber	42¾	43¾	42¾	43¾
Fred Stor Tire Co	87¾	87¾	86	86
Gaston Williams	20	20	20	20
Gen Cigar	72	73¼	72	73¼
Gen Electric	168	168	168	168
Gen Motor	343	344½	340½	340½
Gen Motor D	85½	88¾	85½	88¾
Goodrich	42	42	42	42
Goodrich pf	104	104	104	104
Granby	32¾	32¾	32¼	32¼
Greene-Can	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Gt Nor Ry pf	80½	80½	79¾	80½
Gt Northern Ore	30½	30½	30½	30½
Gulf S Steel	70	70¾	70	70
Haskell Barker	96	98¾	96	98¾
Ill Central	90	90¾	90	90
Interboro Cons	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Int Harvester	130	135¼	130	131½
Int Harvester pf	114	114	114	114
Int Retail Trans	69	69¾	69	69¾
Inspiration	51¼	51½	51	51
Int Nickel	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Int Nickel pf	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
Int Paper	71¾	72	71½	71¾
Int Paper pf	88½	88½	88½	88½
Iron Products	115	115	115	115
Iowa Cen	19½	19½	18¾	19½
Jewel Tea pf	69½	69½	69½	69½
Kansas City & So	15½	15½	15½	15½
Kan City Sou pf	44	44	44	44
Kelly-Springfield	41	41	41	41
Kelly-Springfield pf	104	104	104	104
Kelsey Wheel	81	81	81	81
Kennecott	27¾	28¾	27¾	28¾
Kennecott	29	29	28½	29
Lack Steel	86	86	86	86
Lee Rubber	55	55	55½	55
Lehigh Val	43	43½	43	43
Martin Parry	41	41	41	41
Manhattan El	51	51	51	51
Man Shirt	34	34	34	34
Max Motor	125½	124	122¾	124
May Stores pf	106¾	107	106¾	107
McAleer	47	47½	47	47½
Mer Marine	51	52¾	51	52¾
Mer Marine pf	107¾	108¾	107¾	108¾
Mex Petrol	277	280¾	276	280¾
Miami	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Middlestate oil	65½	65½	65½	65½
Mid Ste Sil	50¾	52¾	50¾	50¾
Minn & St L	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
M K T	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
M K T pf	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Mo Pacific	40¾	41¾	40¾	40¾
Mullin Body Corp	47	47	46½	47
Nat Acme	27¾	28¾	27¾	28¾
Nat Analine	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾
Nat Biscuit	104	104	104	104
Nat Cloak pf	104	104	104	104
Nat Conduit	113¾	113¾	105½	105½
Nat Lead	82	82	82	82
Nevada Cons	15¾	15¾	15¾	15¾
New Haven	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
N Y Air Brks	111	111¾	110	110¾
N Y Centra	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾
N Y Dock	43¾	43¾	43½	43¾
Norfolk & So	19	19	19	19
Norfolk & W	99¾	100	99¾	100
North American Co	56	56	56	56
Oklahoma P & R	83	83	81¾	83
Nova Scotia	73	73	73	73
Ohio Cities Gas	50	50½	50	50½
Oklahoma P & R	9	9	8¾	9
Ont Silver	9¾	9¾	9½	9¾
Ont Steel	57	57	57	57
Owens Bottle	59	59	59	59
Pan Am Petrol	128	132	128	129½
Pan Am Petrol B	73	73	73	73
Penn R R	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾
Peoples Gas	63¾	64	63¾	64
Pere Marquette	23¾	24	23¾	24
Pere Marquette pf	47	47	47	47
Pennsylvania	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾
Pierce Oil	20	20½	20	20½
Pierce-Arrow	30	30	29¾	30
Pitts Coal	62½	63	62½	63
Pitts & W Va	27¼	27¾	27¼	27¾
Pond Creek	24¾	25¾	24¾	25¾
Pr Steel Car	100	101¾	100	101¾
Pullman	115½	116	115½	116
Punta Sugar	97	98¾	96½	97
Ray Cons	20¼	21	20¼	20¾
Reading	77¼	77¾	77¼	77¾
Rem Type	88¾	93	88¾	90¾
Rep I & Steel	103½	103½	101¾	103
Royal-Dutch	102¾	102¾	102¾	102¾
Ry Steel Spring	97¾	97¾	97¼	98½
Saxon Motor	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Seaboard A L pf	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Shattuck Ariz	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
Sinclair Con	46¾	47¾	46¾	47¾
Sloss-Sheffield	71¾	73	71¾	73
Smelting	106¾	106¾	105¾	105¾
So Pacific pr	117¾	117¾	117¾	117¾
So Pacific R Segar	99	99	99	99
So Railway	23¾	23¾	23	23¾
So Railway pf	88¾	88¾	88¾	88¾
Stromberg	97¾	97¾	97	97¾
Studebaker	104¾	104¾	103¾	104¾
do ts	64½	64½	64½	64½
Tex & Pacific	42¾	44¾	42¾	44
Texas Company	213¾	214	213	213¾
Tobacco Prod pf	101	101	101	101
Trans-Con Oil	43	43	42¾	43
Transit & W	63	63	63	63
Twin City R T	40¾	40¾	40	40¾
Union Oil	97¾	98¾	97¾	98¾
U S C I P	21¾	22¾	21¾	22¾
United Fruit	103¾	104	103¾	103¾
United Drug	138¾	139	138¾	139
U S Alky Steel	51	51	50½	51
U S Cast Iron	114	115¾	114	115¾
U S Cast Iron pf	67½	67½	67	67
U S Ind Alcohol	85	85	85	85
U S Rubber	119	119	118½	119
U S Rubber 1st pf	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾
U S Rubber 2nd pf	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
U S Smelting	43¾	44¾	43¾	44¾
U S Steel	104¾	105¾	104¾	105¾
U S Steel pf	114	115¾	114	115¾
Utah Copper	78	78	77¾	78
Wabash	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Wabash pf A	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
West Maryland	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Westinghouse	53¾	54	53¾	53¾
Westinghouse Air Brake	115	115	115	115
Wheeling & L E	13¾	13¾	13¼	13¼
White Motor	67¾	67¾	67¾	67¾
Wilson Packing	26¾	26¾	26¾	26¾
Worth P & M	88½	88½	88½	88½
Va Ca Chem	68¾	69	68¾	68¾

GOVERNMENT BONDS

1st 3½s	99.72	99.72	99.60	99.70
1st 4s 1932-47	94.04	94.04	94.04	94.04
2d 4s 1927-42	92.	92.	92.	92
1st 4¼s 1932-47	94.80	94.80	94.	94.80
2d 4¼s 1927-42	92.80	92.82	92.38	92.38
3d 4¼s 1928	94.36	94.36	94.20	94.40
4th 4¼s 1938	92.36	92.36	92.34	92.34
Victory 4¼s	99.18	99.24	99.18	99.18
Victory 4¾s	99.16	99.2	99.14	

*Ex-dividend.

BOSTON CURB WAS ACTIVE LAST WEEK

The Boston Curb market was strong in the main last week and finished with an upward movement. A late feature of the Saturday session was the rally of Mutual Divide. Trading was active, transactions totaling 1,841,621 shares for the week. Although it is said that strength proved valid, the latter was manifested more in the tone than in the actual review of the list. The latter looked somewhat irregular.

Among the more prized issues gains for the week were: Hendee 1¾, it leading Saturday's list with high of 42. Ohio Body, up 2¾ at its final quotation of 34; United Verde Extension 1¾, it mining 22,348,140 pounds of copper last month, compared with 4,315,242 in November, 1918, and Shawmut Steamship, 1¼, the shipping boom still is to increase its fleet by two ships.

Strong low priced issues and their gains in cents were: Mutual Divide, 14; Boston and Wyoming Oil, 29¾; Denbigh Mining, 7; Seven Metals, 5; and Imperial, 2. Verde Mines was active and closed with 1¼ cents gain at 35. Profits after making as high as 60 cents.

Gulfport Oil was a high priced Curb issue, to decline, ending the week with a half-point loss, while recessions in other "oils" were included Iron Cap, 1; Pilgrim, ⅝; and Simon Petrol, 1¾.

In the Signal, s. Other issues were Arizona Silver, 2½, a center Pioneer, 13½ cents, and Silver Reef, 11 cents.

Bingham Mines closed with December are reported by General Manager Lidstone as twenty-one cents, and it is stated that returns from each varied from $800 to $1,255.

Copper Output by Mines

November copper production by United Verde Extension was 2,238,-414 pounds, compared with 4,348,942 in the preceding month; Miami, New Cornelia 4,276,000 compared with 3,264,000, and Calumet and Arizona 4,466,000 compared with 3,-598,000.

Oil Refinery Consumption

Crude oil consumption in September by refineries in the United States is given by the census bureau, and products obtained were: 855,882,664

LIVELY CONTEST FOR MAYOR AT WORCESTER

Worcester, Dec. 8—The municipal campaign is now in full swing, both parties having opened with the annual gatherings. The Republicans have the advantage of being "in." Their candidate for Mayor, Arthur G. Holmes, has held the office for the last three years, and is now running for the fourth time.

If he has another term, he will have served as long as any of his predecessors. Only three other men, Winslow, Logan and Wright, having equalled that record. Samuel G. Blake, in the sixties, was chosen five times, but died with an unfinished term and died before beginning his fifth term.

Peter F. Sullivan, the Democratic candidate, has served in both branches of the City Council as well as in both houses of the Legislature. He has done creditable work in all three places, especially in his efforts on behalf of soldiers' relief and their families in securing bounties and State aid, which has made him many friends. If all, or nearly all of these should vote for him, he would be elected, although the city is normally Republican by 6,000.

Although Mayor Holmes has done well in many ways, he is handicapped by the fact that he is running for a fourth term and that there is a growing feeling that the Swedish element is recognized too much in the distribution of offices. They now have the Mayor, one State Senator, two Representatives, two Aldermen and various other members of boards and commissions. Though this is disproportionate to their numbers, the Republican leaders fear to make a change, well knowing that the city would be turned over to the Democrats if the Scandinavian vote were lost.

Among the newspapers the Gazette is strong for Holmes, and the Telegram, nominally so, although Editor Cristy at the farewell dinner in his honor last fall showed himself strong for Sullivan, thus adding impetus to the movement in his favor.

The Post being Democratic in its tendencies, is, of course, for Sullivan as the Democratic nominee. If the Republicans come out and their vote can be held, Holmes will be easily elected, but if there is much of a defection, Sullivan will be the next Mayor.

The opening Republican rally of Wednesday night proved a front. Held in a hall seating a thousand, only eighty-three persons by actual count attended, and they were mostly well-seasoned party men who would vote the straight ticket anyway. What was lacking in numbers, however, was made up for as far as possible in words, the Mayor delivering an address occupying three or four columns of the next day's morning paper. This address, aside from a resume of his administration, was made up of an attack on his opponent for supporting the Democratic ticket at the last election and in glorifying himself as in favor of "law and order."

James Logan, an old friend, was introduced by the chairman as "the first citizen of Worcester," and he responded to him by telling Holmes one of his own little political clique, in the usual way. Mr. Logan is one of the men who ran four times for mayor and succeeded in reducing his majority each year till the last time he slipped in by a scant one hundred.

The form of his introduction must very greatly pleased him and his circle of friends, but to others it seemed like the adaptation of an old poem to read, "How sweet the name Logan sounds in a believer's ear."

CORMACK IN RARE VOICE AT SYMPHONY

John McCormack, world-celebrated tenor, sang again in Boston yesterday afternoon.

It was the old familiar story of a McCormack concert: Symphony Hall packed to the doors; an audience eager for the utmost the singer would give; the latter in rare voice and magnetic good humor; the program ranging from operatic masterpieces to homely folk songs and from old ballads of the day, and extra offerings, in generous response to encores, equaling in number those on the printed list.

Mr. McCormack included in his selections four which were sung here for the first time—"La Caravane," in which his consummate artistry was admirably displayed; "Go Not, Happy Day," whose appealing tenderness made the audience long for a repetition; "When Beauty Grows Too Great to Bear," and "Were I a Star."

The Irish folk songs ranged from the rare, sweet plaintive "Dear Old Mother Stream" to the sprightly humor of "The Next Market Day," with which the encore fiends' tendencies are familiar.

A feature of the program was the beautiful rendition of "Only You," a composition by Edwin Schneider, Mr. McCormack's accompanist, who at the close of which Mr. Schneider was forced to rise and acknowledge the plaudits of the audience.

Among the popular favorites sung in response to encores were "Dear Old Pal of Mine," "Rose of Picardy," "Little Mother of Mine," and "Good Night, Dear Love."

Mr. Schneider gave the usual satisfaction at the piano, and Mr. Wilkinson, the violinist, an artist of remarkable talent, was enthusiastically received after each performance.

Mr. McCormack returns to Symphony Hall for four concerts in the week of February 8-15.

Marriage Intentions

BOSTON.

Arthur H. Orchard, 20, engraver, Stephen Revere, and Margaret I. Dunlop, machine operator, Haverhill st., both Charlestown.

Charles J. Meehlin, 21, polisher, No. 16 Newcomb st., and Dorothy Ford, 20, dressmaker, 111 Mercer st., South Boston.

Harry Carlson, machinist, No. 19 Edson st., Dorchester, and Hildur C. Lovgren, 20, Pearl st., Somerville.

Jacob Levy, 24, painter, No. 43 Albion st., Roxbury, and Sophie Albert, 28, dressmaker, New York, N. Y.

Rosario Marchisio, 27, machinist, No. 58 Chelsea st., East Boston, and Maddalena Avrigouma, 23, button hole maker, No. 145 Havre st., East Boston.

Albert Nielson, 26, carpenter, No. 63 Devon st., Hyde Park, and Myra W. Sargent, 18, bookkeeper, No. 53 Elm st., Hyde Park.

Frank S. Gove, 25, painter, No. 9 Rhode Island st., Somerville, and Mary M. Richard, 21, at home, No. 223 Homer st., Mattapan.

Hugh F. Frederick, 21, machinist, No. 206 Princeton st., East Boston, and Myrtle A. Southward, 18, at home, No. 41 Pope st., East Boston.

Charles H. Peterson, 37, machinist, No. 31 Upton st., and Violet C. Brown, 28, stitcher, Oxford, same address.

Albert P. Jordan, 25, auto mechanic, No. 56 Brimmer st., and Elizabeth A. Curtis, 24, waitress, No. 40 Fairfield st.

Francois Coulbi, 40, chauffeur, No. 15 Sawtell st., widowed and Nonzia Paletta, 35, housework, 6 Piedmont st., both Boston.

Earl H. Stauffer, 21, machinist, No. 192 H st., South Boston, and Elizabeth C. Hock, 20, at home, No. 153 I st., South Boston.

Albert Malzoni, 28, roofer, No. 33 Decatur st., Roxbury, and Elizabeth S. Hughes, 18, saleswoman, No. 1 Saginaw st.

George E. McCall, 24, plumber, No. 645 Columbus av., and Gladys B. Campbell, 21, waits stitcher, Waltham.

Patrick Sandy, 45, plasterer, No. 6 Rutland st., widowed, and Nellie Daniher, 38, at home, same address.

Frank M. Allen, 27, chemical engineer, Silver Park, Pa., and Helen P. Shaw, 25, No. 205 Belgrade av., Roslindale.

David J. O'Keefe, 30, roofer, No. 33 Decatur st., Roxbury, and Elizabeth S. Hughes, 18, saleswoman, No. 1 Saginaw st.

Leonardo Albano, 21, laborer, 218 North st., and Acquista Rebichini, 18, laborer, 24 Everett st.

Aaron F. Levine, 24, salesman, No. 17 Decatur st., and Pearl S. Snyder, 22, No. 2 Rochester st.

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American Shipping Future Bright; Give Public Profit

It is gratifying to learn from the Atlantic Coast Shipbuilders' Association that on the ways for private account, exclusive of government orders, are 550,000 gross tons of merchant shipping—more than three times all the merchant ship construction in American yards the year before the war.

This fact dispels two widely accepted beliefs—that good ships cannot be built cheaply in the United States (by cheaply we mean in comparison with foreign costs), and that ocean shipping does not look inviting to American enterprise.

Of the 118 vessels now being built in this country on private order only one is for a foreign purchaser, showing that there is a reckoning place for us on the seas.

Moreover, foreign orders will increase, for the cost differential which British yards have long enjoyed is rapidly disappearing as our shipbuilders tune up to efficient standardized production. It is now less than ten per cent., offset by delays in deliveries.

It would be in keeping with our industrial and commercial resources if we should not only handle our foreign commerce in ships of American construction and registry, but also build largely for foreign account. Both opportunities are ours for the taking.

As for the craft built by our government under war necessities, it is reported to be the present desire of the Shipping Board to sell outright to private account only the culls, but to retain title in the best vessels and to commit their operation to private corporations under contracts resembling a leasehold.

The argument offered for such a policy is that it would permit the government to resume direct operation if necessary, but would meanwhile gain the advantage of the greater flexibility in private management.

Retention of public title would be preferable to outright sale. But if profit is to be had in the operation of ships built with public funds, why should not the public get the full benefit of it?

That private enterprise foresees profit in American shipping under prospective world conditions is indicated by its growing investment in new ships.

If private Americans can win profit in this field, why should our government doubt its ability to do the same?

Experience has shown that to lease government property to private management backed by government credit is to invite favoritism and scandal. The teachings of experience are still valuable.

Dangerous Railway Fares Bill Should Not Pass

The Street Railway Committee has reported a bill which allows the street railways to increase their fares without consulting the Public Utilities Commission.

This totally reverses the policy of regulation in railway rates in Massachusetts. It destroys regulation in fact. If a street railway may raise its rates without consulting the commission, it is pretty certain that any ex-post facto investigation of the commission will be useless. It will be like locking the barn door after the horse is stolen. These hearings on the rates can be so long drawn out that when the decision is arrived at the conditions under which the company is operating will be totally different from the conditions at the time the fare was raised. In some States where this practice is allowed, hearings on the protest against the increased rates have been dragged out for years. Before our own Gas and Electric Light Commission there was a partial practice of this sort, and the American has had a petition before the Gas and Electric Light Commission now for almost two years against the Edison rates, and the merits of the case have not yet been touched. We do not blame the company entirely for the delays, but the capacity of the company to make delays is almost unlimited and the temptation to do so is very great. If this bill should pass, the Public Utilities Commission, so far as it is charged with the duty of regulating street railways rates, might just as well shut up shop.

There is no street railway that ought not to be able to anticipate its need sufficiently in advance to be able to file a petition and make out its case for an increase of carfare before the regulating body and have the increase granted by the time it needs the increase. This bill ought not to pass.

Why Not a Referendum on Pay of School Teachers?

Chairman Sullivan of the Boston School Committee threatens to resign if the Legislature interferes with the School Committee in the matter of regulating school teachers' salaries.

The American somewhat sympathizes with Mr. Sullivan's feeling that the Legislature ought not to interfere with Boston's local autonomy. The Legislature does altogether too much of this sort of thing to Boston and with results often very harmful to the city and beneficial to no one.

But the question of adequate wages for the school teachers is a very fundamental question and it is not a technical question, but one in which public opinion is much more likely to be right than a small body like the School Committee, however honest, painstaking and experienced that body may be.

The American suggests to the School Committee that it propose a referendum on the question of the teachers' pay to the voters of Boston. Surely Mr. Sullivan's pride of office would not be injured by granting an appeal to those for whom he is a servant. The fathers and mothers of the children in the public schools will be very good judges of this very important controversy.

Congratulations, Cardinal

Cardinal O'Connell is sixty years old today. We congratulate him.

It must come as a great surprise to most people to know the Cardinal's age, for as we see him taking his exercise along the streets he certainly looks to be a great deal younger man.

One Job Finished, Ready for Another

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More Truth Than Poetry

BRITANNIA RULES THE WAVE

By S. E. KISER

HAUL down the starry flag! Forget
The futile hope that seemed so splendid;
Britannia rules the wide wave yet,
And will until all rule is ended!
We must not foolishly presume
Or claim ambitions that displease;
Haul down the flag! There is no room
For our armadas on the seas.

THE need we served is past; therefore
We must not think it fair or fitting
To look for favors any more;
The time has come, it seems, for quitting.
Call in the ships that we may keep—
The little ones—and make them fast
In harbors that are not too deep;
Haul down the flag from every mast!

WHY add new dreadnoughts to our list,
Or boost about their speed and power?
Some morning England may insist
On manning every fighting tower,
For she, remember, must not let
Her right to rule the wave be lost.
Why plunge her deeper into debt,
If we, at last, must bear the cost?

HAUL down the starry flag! Proclaim
Our quick and filial submission;
We can't afford to bear the blame
Of clinging to a mad ambition!
See where the gleaming pennants fall;
Our hope has found a watery grave;
Call in the captains, one and all,
For still Britannia rules the wave!

NO CHANCE IN THE WORLD

"They haven't any business to string wires across your roof and damage your property. Why don't you compel them to respect your rights?"

"Who told you I had any rights? I don't belong to a union, and I'm not a member of any combination."

WHY CAN'T PREMIERS BE REASONABLE?

Addressing the House of Commons the other day, Premier Lloyd George said: "It is quite impossible to go on financing civil war in Russia indefinitely." He must have a pernicious desire to disturb the serenity of certain American bankers.

Ye TOWNE GOSSIP

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By K. C. B.

DEAR K. C. B.

THE OTHER day.

WAS A cold day.

AND THE sky was gray.

AND I was blue.

AND THE boss told me.

THAT I had to go over.

TO CAMBRIDGE Town.

TO SELL to a man.

WHO OWNED a bank.

SOME MORTGAGE bonds.

THAT HE didn't want.

AND I had a grouch.

AND NEARLY a toothache.

AND A murderous mind.

AND I left the car.

AT HARVARD Square.

AND MET a man.

WHO WAS totally blind.

AND WHO walked along.

WITH HIS head held high.

AND A springy step.

AND A jolly smile.

WHILE HE tapped the walk.

WITH A good stiff cane.

AND WHISTLED "Bubbles."

AND I stopped the man.

AND SAID: "My friend.

"WILL YOU please tell me.

"WHAT IT is in the world.

"THAT GIVES you cheer?"

AND THE blind man laughed.

AND SAID to me.

"WHY, I have a wife.

"WHO IS good and true.

"AND I have my health.

"AND AN appetite.

"AND A soldier son.

"FROM OVER there.

"AND WHAT in the world.

"COULD ANY one ask.

"THAT IS more than that?"

AND I went away.

AND INTO the bank.

AND SAW my man.

AND HE had a grouch.

FOR HE only growled.

WHEN I spoke to him.

OF THE mortgage bonds.

AND THEN I told.

OF THE brave blind man.

AND OF what he had said.

AND THE banker man.

GOT OVER his grouch.

AND HE really smiled.

AND ALMOST bought.

AND ANYWAY,

HE SHOOK my hand.

AND EXPRESSED his pleasure.

THAT I had called.

AND I'M quite sure.

THAT THE blind man's smile.

THAT I picked up.

AND TOOK into the bank.

WAS HANDED along.

THROUGHOUT THE day.

AND I'M telling you.

SO THAT you may help.

TO PASS it along.

SO THAT others may smile.

FROM H. Witherspoon.

OF DORCHESTER Mass.

I THANK you.

The Dawn of a New Religion

By Randolph Wellford Smith, Author of "Ideals of Government," "Benighted Mexico," "The Sober World," etc.

Randolph Wellford Smith is an American journalist and author with many years' experience in London, New York, Paris and the capitals of the world. He has been a deep student of government, political economics and administrative justice and more especially the many sociological and humanitarian problems that confront the world today.

AMID the chaos and discordant alarums in the new era of reconstruction a spiritual note has been struck that is most noteworthy. In every land of so-called civilization men and women of sound mentality are turning their faces back to the Father of All Things. If, forsooth, of too much prosperity—too plentiful stores they have been led into paths of slothful luxury, and idle, thoughtless indulgences, the great war at last has purged them, and out of the black maelstroms of human pain and woe the awakening is luminous and distinct. With profound dominance and superb significance is this fact apparent.

Close observers along the pathway of human incidents looked through a glass of almost hopeless perspective, into a mirror of Eolian darkness through the closing years of the last century and for more than a decade of the present one. Men heaped up gold until their coffers overflowed and lived under expenditures that would have appalled the Roman kings. Women robed themselves in purple and fine linen and the skins of a thousand wild beasts.

Flamboyant Luxury

A hectic, garish, flamboyant luxury marked the period with a juxtaposition of sin and vice and sickening slums that poets and historians of the future will paint into vivid tones of nausea and dissent. Churches there were, to be sure, but churches in the main as lifeless as a sea nettle and as colorless as a bottle of ether. Churches for weddings and funerals, for great displays in the Yuletide and at Easter and for an occasional heartfelt prayer when some loved one had passed over among the purples and golds of the Great Beyond, but churches in the main as soulless as a scimitar of steel. Churches where men bowed to the God of their Father and knelt to mammon.

France forgot her God entirely, threw the sacred vessels of her churches in the public streets, exiled her priests, abandoned her arts and sciences and devoted herself almost exclusively to the manufacture of clothes which men and women in England and America prostituted themselves to buy at prices that beggar criticism. And the little nations, the little peoples of the world in Belgium, Armenia, the Balkans everywhere, were made to suffer as the innocent must always suffer, perforce of God's laws.

Sordid Floods

And then the deluge, when the world ran in sordid floods of blood which the efforts of men were futile to stop. Government was a lost art; the Church a potent factor but helpless as an instrument of prevention until land after land was red in carnage.

Then, and then only, the world awoke to a sense of a high duty. Men laid aside their selfish aims and purposes and the true womanhood of the great nations began to come to the surface. And the ministers of many peoples lifted their heads in an Angelus of thankfulness for it was apparent that the dawn of a new religion, a real and intangible faith, was on the horizon.

In the new spirit it is conclusive that the church is to play its all important part as it was never played before.

One has only to drop into one of the great city churches to be most forcibly impressed with that fact. The old atmosphere of lackadaisical dutifulness is most conspicuous by its absence. The sermons of the ministers are no longer cryptic appeals and rhetorical discussions. The preacher seems to appreciate that he must probe deeper—that what the man and women wants today is to get at the very heart of the God thought and purpose and just what part he is to play in the new world's theatre.

(To Be Continued Tomorrow)

WIFE SHOULD HAVE HER OWN BANK ACCOUNT

By Mrs. Wilson Woodrow

THAT eternal problem, money. It is always obtruding itself; and since there is nothing we can get free without it except air, we are constantly forced to its consideration. I am sure that the serpent in Eden was merely a symbol for it.

One of my correspondents finds herself in a perplexing situation because of it. She writes that she has been married only two months, and already has become involved in a perpetual discussion of the money question.

She is earning her own living and intends to keep on doing so; but the question that has arisen between her husband and herself is whether or not she is entitled to retain her salary for herself.

But let her state the problem in her own way.

"Now, what I want to ask you is this," she writes. "Do you think the bank account should be in my husband's name only, or in both our names? My husband wants it in his name; but my mother thinks that is absolutely wrong and says that I should be independent.

"My husband says that after he goes into business he will let me have a bank account of my own, but for the present thinks it best to have a common fund. We are stopping with my mother now and this question creates constant discussion. He positively refuses to give in and so does my mother. They are both very stubborn. Please tell me what you think, as it is causing a lot of unnecessary arguments in our home."

Must Decide for Self

Since you ask my opinion, I think that any woman who is financially independent is foolish not to stay so. And why let all the obstinacy in the family be monopolized by your mother and your husband? Why not be a stubborn character yourself, and put an end this case. It is distinctly up to you.

You are and have been earning your own living. Any one who earns money is entitled to the disposition of it. You have probably made your own expenditures in the past, perhaps paying your mother for your board, or also giving in some way toward the upkeep of the house. Your husband also earns his living and is apparently making plans for establishing a business of his own. You may heartily approve of this venture, and be willing to turn some of your own funds into it, which is nothing more than fair, since if it prospers you will expect to reap the benefit.

But even so, what reason is there for not keeping your own bank account? Your cancelled checks will be an exact record of the amount you put into the business. No matter how close the relationship, it is always wise when it comes to the disposal of money, even among relatives—especially among relatives—to have things on a definite business basis.

If you wish to help your husband build up a business, and your judgment tells you that it is a good venture, you can draw what proportion of your earnings you wish out of the bank and hand it over to him. But you should have in return exactly the same insight into the manner in which the business is conducted and the same accounting of profits and expenditures that any other partner or investor would receive and require.

That is what you will be, an investor or partner, and your connection and rights should be definitely established and protected.

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It seems to me that your husband holds a strange view of the matter. There doesn't appear to be any sound reason why he should wish to absorb your earnings into an account on which he has the sole drawing power.

It is not a proposition which he would make to a man, and there is no ostensible excuse for making it to a self-supporting woman, merely because she is his wife. It is not "cricket"; and does not show a spirit of fair play and proper consideration for you.

You earn money, therefore you may spend it. Having worked for it, it is to be supposed that you are able to use your intelligence in the way you lay it out. You are not a child who has never had the handling of money and is therefore not to be trusted with it.